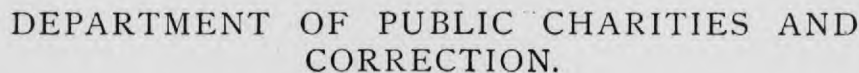


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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, July 23, 1891.

Yours, very respectfully,
H. H. PORTER, President.

INSTITUTIONS.	Remaining Mar. 31, 1891.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Transferred.	Returned.	Died.	Eloped.	Adopted.	Pardoned.	Executed.	Remaining June 30, 1891.
City Prison.....	396	5,477	2,441	3,095	....	1	..	..	..	..	336
District Prisons.....	173	8,400	3,617	4,786	....	..	..	..	..	..	170
Bellevue Hospital.....	736	3,902	2,821	728	....	449	..	..	..	..	740
Workhouse Help.....	94	748	616	83	....	..	3	..	33	..	107
Gouverneur Hospital.....	28	545	204	291	....	51	..	..	..	..	27
Workhouse Help.....	5	56	49	5	....	..	..	..	..	..	7
Harlem Hospital.....	30	672	241	399	....	29	..	..	..	..	33
Workhouse Help.....	12	93	92	..	....	..	1	..	..	..	12
Charity and Maternity Hospitals	830	1,868	1,776	113	....	154	..	..	..	..	659
Workhouse Help.....	103	234	152	54	....	..	..	23	..	..	108
Hospital for Nervous Diseases.....	81	33	25	5	....	5	..	..	..	..	70
Penitentiary.....	1,001	410	535	2	....	5	..	..	..	..	866
Almshouse.....	1,703	729	720	11	....	184	..	..	..	..	1,517
Workhouse Help.....	29	83	84	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	28
Blind Asylum.....	108	46	46	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	108
Incurable Hospital.....	103	10	..	..	....	12	..	..	..	..	101
Workhouse.....	1,045	5,626	5,766	2,626	2,625	16	1	..	..	..	867
N. Y. C. Asylum for Insane, B. I.,	1,713	177	53	38	3	53	..	..	..	..	1,745
Workhouse Help.....	4	9	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
Homoeopathic Hospital.....	469	1,203	1,208	17	..	74	..	..	..	..	377
Workhouse Help.....	65	331	312	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	66
Inebriate Asylum.....	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
N. Y. C. Asylum for Insane, W. I.,	1,798	199	58	23	..	61	..	..	..	..	1,855
Workhouse Help.....	12	56	40	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	14
N. Y. C. Asylum for Insane, L. I.,	354	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	364
Randall's Island Hospital—											
Children.....	418	103	74	3	..	5	..	..	..	..	439
Adults.....	279	449	450	..	..	24	..	..	..	..	254
Workhouse Help.....	125	330	312	..	..	1	..	..	18	..	124
Idiot Asylum.....	336	22	6	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	349
Infants' Hospital—											
Children.....	185	336	144	..	..	217	..	..	..	..	160
Adults.....	56	91	81	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	51
Workhouse Help.....	54	219	190	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	80
Branch Workhouse.....	3	3	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Workhouse Help.....	211	297	286	28	..	..	1	..	..	..	193
N. Y. C. Asylum for Insane, H. I.,	1,350	41	6	3	..	33	..	..	..	..	1,349
Randall's Island Farm.....	14	65	49	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	21
Colored Home and Hospital....	254	150	141	..	..	30	..	..	..	..	233
	14,180	33,023	22,603	12,370	2,608	1,403	8	..	74	..	13,346

To Salaries	\$148,005	80
" Supplies	369,965	74
" Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus	25,020	02
" Repairs to steamboats	2,751	72
" Transportation, etc., Out-door Poor	2,189	26
" Transportation Insane Criminals	75	95
" Distribution of coal	1,719	40
" Ice-house, Ward's Island	1,034	25
" Repairs to roof, Charity Hospital	1,018	22
" Completion of Medical Home, Central Islip	216	14
" Rent for Fordham Hospital	600	00
" Pavilion for Incurables, Almshouse	833	65

ADULTS.		
To Examining Physician.....		5,883
" Charity Hospital (direct).....		230
" Almshouse ".....		564
" Colored Home ".....		160
" Workhouse ".....		75
" Randall's Island ".....		92

Yours, respectfully,
JAMES W. LEDWITH, Warden.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
SECOND DISTRICT PRISON.			
Prisoners remaining March 31, 1891.....	50	25	
" received during the quarter.....	1,938	1,069	
Total.....	1,988	1,087	3,075
Disposed of as follows:			
Transferred to Workhouse.....	613	642	
" City Prison.....	405	68	
" Hospital.....	48	17	
Referred to Mr. Blake.....	5	8	
Discharged.....	864	325	
Remaining June 30, 1891.....	53	27	
Total.....	1,988	1,087	3,075
THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.			
Prisoners remaining March 31, 1891.....	24	15	
" received during the quarter.....	1,545	627	
Total.....	1,569	642	2,211
Disposed of as follows:			
Transferred to Workhouse.....	409	324	
" City Prison.....	369	35	
" Hospital.....	35	18	
Referred to Mr. Blake.....	.....	.....
Discharged.....	732	253	
Remaining June 30, 1891.....	24	12	
Total.....	1,569	642	2,211
FOURTH DISTRICT PRISON.			
Prisoners remaining March 31, 1891.....	32	10	
" received during the quarter.....	1,541	369	
Total.....	1,573	379	1,952
Disposed of as follows:			
Transferred to Workhouse.....	525	231	
" City Prison.....	252	17	
" Hospital.....	35	18	
Referred to Mr. Blake.....	.....	.....
Discharged.....	732	101	
Remaining June 30, 1891.....	27	12	
Total.....	1,573	379	1,952
FIFTH DISTRICT PRISON.			
Prisoners remaining March 31, 1891.....	14	3	
" received during the quarter.....	1,103	183	
Total.....	1,117	186	1,303
Disposed of as follows:			
Transferred to Workhouse.....	386	107	
" City Prison.....	139	6	
" Hospital.....	44	9	
Referred to Mr. Blake.....	7	3	
Discharged.....	531	56	
Remaining June 30, 1891.....	10	5	
Total.....	1,117	186	1,303
SIXTH DISTRICT PRISON.			
Prisoners remaining March 31, 1891.....	.....	.....
" received during the quarter.....	135	13	
Total.....	135	13	148
Disposed of as follows:			
Transferred to Fifth District Prison*.....	107	9	
" City Prison.....	2	.....
" Hospital.....	4	3	
Referred to Mr. Blake.....	.....	.....
Discharged.....	22	1	
Remaining June 30, 1891.....	.....	.....
Total.....	135	13	148

* This item included in report of Fifth District Prison.

Labor Report for Quarter ending June 30, 1891.

SECOND DISTRICT PRISON.

Brick wall at gate on West Tenth street repaired and painted, iron-work on tiers in upper prison painted, prison walls and cells whitewashed, and plumbing work in seven cells repaired.

THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.

Prison walls and cells whitewashed and new closets put up in office.

FOURTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Prison cells whitewashed and water-closets repaired in female prison.

FIFTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Floor in Cells 1, 2, 3 and 4 repaired and prison walls whitewashed.

JAMES W. LEDWITH, Warden.

Warden's Report.

The following is the report of New York Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, for the quarter ending June 30, 1891:

	MALES.		FEMALES.		TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOR- EIGN.
	White.	Colored.	White.	Colored.			
Remaining at last report.....	784	55	121	44	1,001	629	372
Received.....	342	15	44	11	409	238	171
Born.....	1	..	..	..	1	1	..
Total imprisoned.....	1,127	70	162	52	1,411	868	543
Discharged.....	461	18	47	9	535	357	178
Transferred.....	1	..	1	..	2	..	2
Died.....	3	1	..	1	5	2	3
Total discharged.....	465	19	48	10	542	359	183
Total remaining.....	662	51	114	42	869	509	360

Decrease.....	132
Males. { Men.....	710
{ Boys.....	3
Females. { Women.....	154
{ Girls.....	2
Total belonging to Penitentiary.....	869

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Number of prisoners.....	713	156	869
Number of paid officers and employees boarding at Penitentiary.....	64	8	72
Total.....	777	164	941

LOUIS D. PILSBURY, Warden.

NEW YORK PENITENTIARY, }
June 30, 1891. }

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President, Department of Public Charities and Correction:

DEAR SIR—Annexed I beg leave to submit to your Honorable Board my report for the quarter ending June 30, 1891.

The number of prisoners received and discharged, the labor on which they have been employed and the results accomplished.

Very respectfully,

LOUIS D. PILSBURY, Warden.

Blacksmiths—Made 1 grate bar, 36 pins, 8 augers, 13 wedges with handles, 18 links, 3 keys, 74 baby cribs, 50 iron bedsteads, 1 wheeled stretcher, 1 three wheeled wagon, 25 cot frames, 1 fire-escape, 1 poker, 25 straps, 60 standards, 172 feathers, 50 ears, 56 plugs, 64 bolts, 6 head-bolts, 2 hooks, 1 sledge, 6 shackles, 45 handles, 2 coal chisels, 208 rivets, 26 P tools, 72 hand drills, 6 dogs, 6 hinges, 8 gate-irons, 2 latches, 4 staples, 4 slide bolts, 15 tires, 4 hasps, 16 bands, 1 scraper, 2 set screws, 2 rods, 20 plates, 14 boxes, 7 spindles, 3 anchor bolts, 1 whiffletree, 2 hatchet irons, 2 iron wheel-barrows, 4 picks, 60 soldering irons, 3 spikes, 2 hammers, 1 chain, 1 dock shoe, 2 hand trucks, 1 slice bar, 1 bracket, 1 derrick, 57 anchors, 100 points, 12 snaps, 39 braces, 52 chisels, 24 spikes, 1 clip, 1 clip bar, 24 leather washers, 292 foot railing. Repaired 1 hoisting machine, 1 broom machine, 7 mowing machines, 1 stage, 6 trucks, 3 carriages, 17 ambulances, 18 wagons, 15 locks, 1 swill cart, 5 ox carts, 3 prison vans, 3 gongs, 3 fire hoes, 49 cot frames, 7 coal barrows, 1 coke barrow, 4 doors, 1 rod, 3 meat carts, 1 garden cart, 1 watering cart, 13 wheels, 9 wheelbarrow wheels, 1 go cart wheel, 7 hand trucks, 19 carts, 1 hand cart, 3 pair shafts, 1 rug, 1 rocking chair, 2 row boats, 2 pistols, 400 bucket ears, 4 flat irons, 6 benches, 1 pair shears, 2 quarry spoons, 3 anchors, 195 iron bedsteads, 1 poker, 2 keys, 4 cleavers, 1 hook, 1 coal tub, 1,908 augers, 3,538 drills, 10,370 points, 12,578 chisels, 130 P tools, 15 crow-bars, 9 hammers, 56 picks, 82 axes, 1 sledge, 8 slice bars, 27 wedges.

Carpenters—Made 13 washstands, 4 flower stands, 24 wood covers, 6 hand barrows, 200 hair pillows, 30 hair mattresses, 300 infants' coffins, 1,004 adults' coffins, 56 cell buckets, 1,200 bed blocks, 23 wheelbarrows, 6 steps, 2 gang planks, 13 tables, 15 bed screws, 2 pair gates, 1 sign, 1 chopping board, 1 mortar board, 1 foot board, 1 cutting board, 1 wheeled stretcher, 144 water pails, 42 salt cups, 2 stretchers, 18 night chairs, 129 bed trays, 13 mallets, 5 wash tubs, 1 water barrel, 2 closets, 3 medicine closets, 1 cabinet, 3 racks, 1 water barrow, 1 bench, 1 dock shoe, 3 refrigerators, 2 whiffletrees, 2 swab sticks, 40 surveyor stakes, 24 bed tray legs, 3 pair shafts, 4 wheels, 1 box, 1 ice box, 1 boat hook, 1 rang, 1 panel door, 2 hand trucks, 1 molasses tank, 2 supply cupboards, 12 wheelbarrow blocks, 4 window sashes and frames. Painted 236 iron bedsteads, 74 baby cribs, 25 cot frames, 300 feet railing. Repaired 87 cell buckets, 53 beef barrels, 23 hair pillows, 1 buggy, 6 wagons, 1 carriage, 12 ambulances, 10 carts, 3 trucks, 1 provision cart, 2 prison vans, 67 chairs, 47 water pails, 7 tubs, 19 mattresses, 70 wheelbarrows, 7 ambulance lamps, 22 benches, 1 settee, 7 ambulance wheels, 3 water barrels, 5 rakes, 6 wagon wheels, 28 wash kits, 2 wash-boards, 2 meat boxes, 1 step ladder, 3 cushions, 6 brushes, 1 sand sieve, 1 screen, 7 refrigerators.

Tinsmiths—Made 62 funnels, 454 dippers, 126 chambers, 28 boilers, 1 slop bucket, 634 cups, 24 food boxes, 99 mess boxes, 24 refuse boxes, 12 dinner boxes, 6 ice boxes, 64 bake pans, 12 dripping pans, 8 cake pans, 12 pudding pans, 88 sauce pans, 2 meat pans, 320 dish pans, 1,100 mess pans, 93 cans, 5 oil cans, 58 coffee and tea pots, 200 cups and saucers, 38 tea kettles, 48 food pails, 135 pails, 175 pails with covers, 12 garbage pails, 5 water carriers, 4 water coolers, 35 strainers, 2 skimmers, 65 ash shovels, 14 bath tubs, 2 screens, 12 measurers, 2 long handled dippers, 9 coal hods, 1 molasses can, 1 pump, 11 elbows, 7 lengths stove-pipe, 12 smoke jack-heads, 6 galvanized iron ventilators, 686 feet galvanized iron leader-pipe, 50 feet tubing, 1,257 feet strips, 98 feet ridge moulding. Repaired 9 pumps, 2 kettles, 109 pails, 106 cans, 12 ice boxes, 4 ambulance lamps, 2 refuse boxes, 4 boilers, 2 laundry stoves, 3 gas lamps, 169 sundry pieces and all the necessary repairs to prison and adjoining buildings.

Tailors and Cotmakers—Made 175 jackets, 1,025 pairs pants, 272 coats, 1 apron, 6 strait-jackets, 13 dressing gowns. Repaired 630 jackets, 1,008 vests, 1,307 pairs pants, 1,032 coats, 1,121 caps, 324 pairs gloves, 2 sick jackets.

Broom and Brush Makers—Made 342 dozen brooms, 2 dozen whiskbrooms, 290 dozen brushes, 9 barrel rags.

Shoemakers—Made 3,110 pairs mens' shoes, 1,280 pairs womens' shoes. Repaired 1,039 pairs mens' shoes, 180 pairs womens' shoes.

Stone-cutters—Cut 148 feet window sills, 112 feet lintels, 91 feet steps, 176 feet jambs, 136 feet water table, 293 feet rock face angle, 24 feet pier cap, 50 feet coping, 8 feet sills, 31 feet corner stone, 4,945 feet building stone.

In the Sewing-room—The female prisoners made 410 striped shirts, 40 pairs boys pants, 250 tick dresses, 1,240 bed ticks, 50 crib ticks, 650 pillow ticks, 3 mattress ticks, 548 chemises, 50 night gowns, 1,398 sheets, 12 crib sheets, 2,153 pillow cases, 1,479 brown muslin shirts, 30 roller towels, 697 blue denim dresses, 550 petticoats, 260 blue denim shirts, 114 jackets, 1,260 pairs shoes bound. Repaired 21 pairs striped pants, 2,902 striped shirts, 1,674 pairs socks, 513 pillow ticks, 12 womens' undershirts, 105 chemises, 186 striped dresses, 93 petticoats, 1,112 men's undershirts, 18 bed ticks, 35 spreads, 80 aprons, 15 scrub dresses, 10 saques, 13 skirts, 9 canton flannel undershirts, 2 flags.

WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, }
July 1, 1891. }

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President, Board of Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Following please find detailed statement of the amount and description of mechanical and miscellaneous labor performed by the inmates of this institution for the quarter ending June 30.

Appended will also be found a tabulated statement of the movements of the population of the institution for the quarter, as well as the location and numbers remaining at other institutions at the close of business, June 30.

Very respectfully,

LAWRENCE DUNPHY, Superintendent.

Carpenters—Repaired bakery building, the repairs consisting of laying 3,600 square feet yellow-pine flooring, putting in 27 new window-frames and sash, 4 doors, 15 floor-beams; also laid 2,660 square feet yellow-pine flooring, 2,660 square feet pine ceiling. Made and put up 1 partition, 25x7; 1 belfry, 6 bed-screens. Made 42 hammer-handles, 10 bakers' peels, 700 tallies, 4 window-frames, 4 pairs sash, 1 bench, 2 cutting-boards, 1 closet. Repaired 66 bread-boxes, 2 roofs, 10 pairs sash, 1 boat-rudder, 14 benches, 8 oars, stables, 4 wooden horses, 5 awnings, 15 wheelbarrows, 3 water-closets, 3 steam horses, 6 seats, 8 window-blinds, 2 step-ladders, 1 row-boat.

Tin and Lock Smiths—Made 74 awning rings, 1 dipper, 1 horn, 1 grate, 1 fish kettle, 7 pans, 4 cans, 6 pails, 2 coffee-pots, 27 mess pans, 2 tanks, 1 boiler, 1 sprinkler, 2 oil filters, 1 gas-stand. Laid 300 square feet tin roofing. Repaired 2 roofs, 150 pieces tinware. Tinned around steam-pipes and flooring of one hall.

Blacksmiths—Made 4 manhole covers, 54 awning hooks, 1 pan handle, 4 pipe hooks, 1 lifter, 10 bolts, 12 plates, 108 wedges, 7 hoes, 5 rings, 7 scrapers, 12 bolts, 12 shackle-bolts, 5 stays, 1 pair tongs, 2 bathhooks, 1 iron-handle, 6 bed-rests, 1 cleat, 6 hooks, 6 ventilator gratings, 4 bucket-ears, 160 cot hooks, 27 pitching tools, 4 staples, 1 slice-bar, 2 picks, 1 lever, 2 calking tools, 14 brick-chisels, 3 key blanks, 1 swage, 5 drills, 1 chain bolt, 1 elbow, 2 saddle plates, 2 tools, 3 pipe hangers, 2 roofing hooks, 4 brackets, 2 washers, 12 spikes, 4 window bars, 2 kneebraces, 1 hook, 1 broiler, 2 stove shakers, 1 wringer, 1 eyebolt, 1 handle. Repaired 8 cot-frames, 16 wheelbarrows, 2 coal-tubs, 2 grates, 1 slice bar, 1 coupling, 1 ox-cart, 2 cell doors, 6 weeding tools, 20 shovels, 2 grass cutters, 6 window-guards. Repaired, dressed and sharpened 3,292 tools of various kinds.

Painters—Painted 60 cells, 5 rooms, 3 roofs, bathhouse, outside; fire-engine house, outside; 12 tin boxes, 6 chairs, 10 flower-boxes, 2 desks, 2 closets, 12 signs, 12 bath-tubs, 24 wire window-screens, 27 pairs sash and frames, 4 doors, 1 bedstead.

Masons, Stone-cutters, etc.—Built 2,751 cubic feet rubble-stone foundation, 2 brick piers, 1 chimney. Rebuilt 4 ventilators, 2 chimneys, 1 flue. Pointed up 6,700 square feet dressed masonry and flagging. Concreted 1,155 square feet floor surface. Built 120 square feet brick work.

Engineer—Put up 2 new water-closets and flushing cisterns, 4 sets lining in caldrons, 1 valve. Connected 1 water-tank and cistern, 1 water-closet, 1 sink and tank. Disconnected 2 water-closets, 2 water-pipes, 1 sink, 2 steam radiators, 1 steam-pipe, 1 gas-pipe, 1 water tank, 1 steam and water pipe. Cleaned out 34 gas-fixtures, 2 water-closets, 1 waste-pipe. Repaired 8 steam leaks, 1 dumb-waiter, 1 Croton water-pipe.

Miscellaneous—350 cubic yards stone broken.

Cotmakers—Repaired 485 cot bottoms.

Carpet Weavers—Made 65 yards rag carpet.

Tailors—Made 100 vests, 16 jackets. Repaired 1,874 pairs pants, 514 jackets, 280 vests. 506 suits of prisoners' own clothing cleaned and repaired.

Shoemakers—Made 500 pairs women's shoes, 700 pairs women's slippers.

Female Workhouse Help—Made 250 jackets, 1,225 pairs pants, 350 vests, 800 chemises, 256 shirts, 304 sheets, 189 pillow cases, 1,200 shrouds, 892 towels, 8 table-cloths.

Laundry—Washed and laundered 98,987 pieces clothing and bedding.

Harness-makers—Made 12 saddle pads, 1 pair wagon traces. Repaired 10 saddles, 17 breechings, 11 collars, 6 pairs hames, 10 traces, 8 bridles, 3 breeching straps, 3 boots, 1 belly-band, 2 restraining belts.

Number of Days' Labor Accomplished by Male Workhouse Help.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER DAYS' LABOR.	WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER DAYS' LABOR.
Row boat.....	1,549	Barbers and Baths.....	466
Storehouse.....	2,734	Shoemakers.....	1,770
Stables.....	1,926	Tailors.....	1,053
Lunatic Asylum.....	4,863	Kitchen.....	2,776
Almshouse Shop.....	268	Gas-house.....	1,598
Bakery.....	4,256	Buckets and Whitewashers.....	1,267
Blacksmiths.....	170	Boiler-house.....	840
Carpenters.....	609	Coal Yard and Dock.....	2,825
Painters.....	662	Grounds and Farm.....	3,140
Tin and Lock Smiths.....	302	Hospital.....	2,675
Fire Department.....	444	Cleaners.....	784
Plasterers.....	145	Cot Riggers and Weavers.....	434
Masons and Stone-cutters.....	2,652	Sundries.....	9,691
		Total.....	49,995

Number of Days' Labor Accomplished by Female Workhouse Help.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER DAYS' LABOR.	WHERE EMPLOYED.	NUMBER DAYS' LABOR.
Sewing-room and Tailor Shop.....	4,730	Almshouse Gang.....	5,524
Laundry.....	1,876	Middle-house.....	620
Dining-rooms.....	728	Residences.....	1,002
Scrubbers.....	3,279	Sundries.....	546
Bath-room.....	364	Hospital.....	4,782
Tiers and Messengers.....	637	Total.....	24,088

Census Report for Quarter ending June 30, 1891.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Remaining at Workhouse, March 31, 1891.....	753	292	1,045
Admitted, from April 1, 1891, to June 30, 1891.....	3,357	2,269	5,626
Returns, from April 1, 1891, to June 30, 1891.....	1,157	1,448	2,605
Total.....	5,267	4,009	9,276
Discharged, from April 1 to June 30, 1891.....	3,547	2,219	5,766
Died at Workhouse, from April 1 to June 30, 1891.....	12	4	16
Escaped from Workhouse, from April 1 to June 30, 1891.....	1	.....	1
Transferred to other Institutions.....	1,144	1,482	2,626
Total.....	4,704	3,705	8,409
Remaining at Workhouse, June 30, 1891.....	563	304	867
Remaining at other Institutions, June 30, 1891.....	375	507	882
Remaining on Register.....	938	812	1,749
Decrease of males, from report of last quarter.....	190		
Increase of females, from report of last quarter.....		12	

Statement Showing Location of those Remaining at Other Institutions, June 30, 1891.

INSTITUTIONS.	MALES.		FEMALES.	
	Help.	Inmates.	Help.	Inmates.
Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island.....	4	1	107	1
Bellevue Hospital, New York City.....	14	..	93	..
Randall's Island Hospital, Randall's Island.....	26	..	98	..
Randall's Island Farm, Randall's Island.....	21	..	..	..
Harlem Hospital, New York City.....	..	..	12	..
Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island.....	7	..	..	..
Almshouse, Blackwell's Island.....	11	63	17	55
Infants' Hospital, Randall's Island.....	21	..	59	..
N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.....	14	1	..	..
Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island.....	174	..	17	..
Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island.....	18	..	48	..
City Prison.....	1	..	..	..
	311	64	451	56
Total.....	375		507	
Grand total.....			882	

BRANCH WORKHOUSE AND REFORMATORY, HART'S ISLAND, }
NEW YORK, July 3, 1891.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President, Department of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—During the three months ending on June 30, 1891, the following work was done at this institution:

FOR THE BRANCH WORKHOUSE.

Carpenters—Made 4 bread-boxes, 1 ice-box, 1 door, 1 handle, 2 peels, 11 sash frames, 86 stakes for farm and cemetery, 1 type case, 8 drinking troughs, 1 book case, 1 rope reel. Repaired 40 wheelbarrows, 2 guard boats, 1 coal-box, 7 bread-boxes, 1 ice-box, 24 carts, 25 chairs, 5 doors, 3 pumps, 14 window sashes, 25 stools, 1 table, 1 derrick, 1 rake. Rehandled 38 tools and sharpened 114. Built 1 fence and 1 partition. Hung 10 pairs of window blinds and 2 shades.

Blacksmiths—Made 4 barrow spindles, 29 bolts, 20 handles, 54 hasps, 136 hooks, various, 14 rings, 121 rivets, 205 staples, 5 pairs cemetery tongs, 204 shoe calks, 1 boat hook. Repaired 51 wheelbarrows, 5 meat-boxes, 2 ice-boxes, 1 ash-box, 31 carts, 9 cot frames, 2 hinges, 3 hoes, 1 dough knife, 50 pails and buckets, 2 plows, 4 pokers, 2 pumps, 4 rakes, 11 shovels, 6 cemetery tongs, 2 ice tongs, 68 tubs, 2 hammers, 1 pair hames, 14 wedges, 1 anchor, 1 axe, 5 farm forks, 1 stable fork, 1 scythe, 2 wrenches, 2 lawn mowers, 1 truck, also 1 chain and 1 truck for steamboat "Fidelity." Set 123 and heeled and toed 285 horseshoes. Sharpened 191 working tools.

Tinsmiths, Plumbers and Locksmiths (Note—During seven weeks of the quarter this shop was closed, there being no mechanics of the description here)—Made 4 cups, 1 dipper, 1 cover, 1 sink, 1 cistern, 2 strainers, 1 drain and drain-pipe, 1 ice-box. Repaired 9 boilers, 29 cans, 2 dippers, 1 key, 3 lamps, 1 leader, 2 pails, 32 pots and kettles, 12 pumps, 2 roofs, 2 stoves, 9 stove-pipes, 1 tank, 8 bath tubs, 1 hose, 1 strainer, 1 faucet, 2 grates, 1 sink, 1 coffee mill.

Painters—Painted 1 guard boat, 1 coal-box, 1 ash-box, 2 ice-boxes, 8 buildings, 44 cot frames, 2 rooms, 20 pairs of window blinds, 12 window sashes, 1 sign, 2 storm doors, 10 cemetery head-boards, 1 lamp, 1 wheelbarrow, 1 plow, 1 pump, 1 porch, 1 tank. Varnished 4 doors, 3 pieces of furniture.

Shoemakers—Repaired 492 pairs of shoes, men's and women's.

Tailors and Cot Riggers—Made 28 jackets, 66 pairs of mittens, 44 pairs of pants, 70 caps. Repaired 348 jackets, 1,029 pairs of pants, 339 vests.

Printers—Worked at composition 1,119 hours, at press work 418 hours, and at incidentals 530 hours.

Female Workhouse Help—Made 31 aprons. Washed and laundered 18,604 pieces of clothing and bedding. Repaired 607 hickory shirts, 443 undershirts, 488 pairs of socks, 112 chemises, 47 petticoats, 170 dresses, 155 aprons, 133 pairs of stockings, 13 roller towels, 2 bed ticks, 1 pillow tick, 55 pillow cases, 22 sheets.

General Labor—Dug, carted and piled sand and loaded five barges with same for Department use. Discharged and spread three large loads of ashes, etc. Discharged 181½ tons of ice from boat "Susan Collier" and 224½ tons of coal from boat "R. A. Maxwell," also 300 iron-pipes for water supply. Worked at sea-wall on northeast end of the island. Repaired and rebuilt roads and retaining-walls. Plowed, planted, manured, weeded and cultivated farm, gathered and stored vegetables, cut grass, kept grounds, paths, walks and borders in order, cut and carted wood for bakery, carted and cleaned coal, ashes and cinders, scrubbed, cleaned and whitewashed cells, shops, dormitories, mess rooms, etc.

HART'S ISLAND BAKERY.

Made 172,442 pounds of bread.

CITY CEMETERY.

Interred 1,450 bodies, being 428 in the Catholic and 1,022 in the general ground, and also many boxes known as refuse. Disinterred 24 bodies for reburial elsewhere, and 1 for identification. Excavated 5 trenches, 45 x 15 x 7 feet and completed one 54 x 25 x 7 feet. Trimmed, sodded and filled in 12 trenches, 45 x 15 x 7 feet. Trimmed and cleaned 100 trenches. Extended eastern roadway, built granite buttress for cross. Painted and whitewashed dead-house. Put in order paths, roads, flower beds, etc., for Decoration Day, etc.

BRANCH LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Gave to that institution 1,196 days' labor of men and 199 days' of horses and carts. The quarterly school report is appended hereto.

STATEMENT OF WORKHOUSE HELP.

	MEN.	WOMEN.	TOTAL.
Remaining on March 31.....	191	20	211
Received since.....	265	32	297
	456	52	508
Discharged..... Men, 258; women, 28			
Returned..... " 21; " 7			
Eloped..... " 1; " ..			
	280	35	315
Remaining on June 30.....	176	17	193

And 2 men, inmates, awaiting recommitment.

Very respectfully,

E. A. REILLY, Warden.

Approved.

LAWRENCE DUNPHY, Superintendent.

BRANCH WORKHOUSE AND REFORMATORY, HART'S ISLAND, }
NEW YORK, June 30, 1891.

To EDWARD A. REILLY, Warden, Branch Workhouse and Reformatory:

Below please find my report of attendance upon the various sessions of school in connection with this Reformatory for the quarter ending June 30, 1891.

School Report, for Quarter ending June 30, 1891, Branch Workhouse and Reformatory.

1891.	PRIMARY CLASS.	REFORMATORY CLASS.	EVENING CLASS.	TEMPORARY CLASS.	LITERARY CLASS.	TOTAL.
Week ending April 4.....	52	105	73	98	146	474
" " 11.....	44	105	118	....	212	479
" " 18.....	41	109	36	90	109	385
" " 25.....	12	44	39	44	117	256
Total	149	363	266	232	584	1,594
Number sessions.....	16	18	7	5	5	51
Average.....	9	20	38	47	117	31
Week ending May 2.....	39	90	122	37	107	395
" " 9.....	46	122	108	43	125	444
" " 16.....	31	80	115	....	122	348
" " 30.....	15	43	89	....	24	171
Total	131	335	434	80	378	1,358
Number sessions.....	16	17	12	2	4	51
Average.....	9	20	36	40	95	27
Week ending June 6.....	20	77	69	28	....	194
" " 13.....	23	72	121	31	....	247
" " 20.....	38	58	28	....	139	263
" " 27.....	23	45	64	51	....	193
Total.....	104	252	282	120	139	897
Number sessions.....	20	20	11	3	3	57
Average.....	5	13	26	40	46	16
SUMMARY.						
April.....	149	363	266	232	584	1,594
May.....	131	335	434	80	378	1,358
June.....	104	252	282	120	139	897
Total.....	384	950	982	432	1,101	3,849
Monthly average.....	126	317	327	144	367	1,283

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. M. GILBERT, Teacher.

Approved.

LAWRENCE DUNPHY, Superintendent.

ALMSHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,)
July 3, 1891. }

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President, etc.:

SIR—I respectfully inclose herewith to your Honorable Board Almshouse Labor Report for second quarter ending June 30, 1891.

Very respectfully,

WM. S. McNAMARA, Warden.

Quarterly Labor Report, June 30, 1891.

Carpenters performed 525 days' labor, as follows: Jobbing—At Washhouse, Incurable Hospital, Female Hospital, Central Office, Storekeeper's house, Warden's house, female kitchen, male shed, male dining room, male bath house, Steamer "Brennan," blind shed, drug store, Steamer "Minnahannock," male and female wards. Making closets on Steamer "Fidelity," cylinder desk, clothes crates, tags, splints, mosquito frames, soap boxes, wooden leg, vestment case, ice and meat box, tables, sign boards, ladder, work-bench. Repairing doors, saws, stretchers, chairs, stools, table, clothes closet, mallets, meat cart, store-house, blinds, sashes, crutches, sofa, wheelbarrow, boat, steps at male water-closet, stoop at Warden's office, balcony floor, foot scraper, sliding door in Male Hospital, windows of Doctor's room, decorating chapel, shelves in Female Hospital. Put in 27 sash cords; kitchen fittings in New Female Pavilion.

Blacksmiths performed 329½ days' labor, as follows: New Work—176 bolts, 13 bars, 26 braces, 1 bit, 28 corner railings, 5 chisels, 2 clamps, 2 drills, 6 fasteners, 1 grate, 4 fire rakes, 356 horseshoes, 2 hinges, 1 hasp, 5 staples, 34 nuts, 1 latch, 19 pipe hooks, 100 hoop nails, 4 keys, 322 spikes, 100 rivets, 2 pokers, 2 damper keys, 6 rods, 1 iron band, 4 clasps, 2 wedges, 8 dock spikes, 12 handles, 1 boiler cover, 12 wall hooks, 4 handles, 2 garden railings, 2 cleavers, 1 meat chopper, 1 screw, 1 hold fast, 2 wheelbarrow braces, 1 spindle, 1 turning machine, 2 chimney clasps, 1 wrench. Repaired—3 corner railings, 39 chisels, 3 bits, 17 clocks, 1 hatchet, 34 fire rakes, 1 grate, 59 slice bars, 7 pokers, 15 locks, 30 keys, 1 truss, 4 wash hooks, 16 crowbars, 2 shovels, 2 skid plates, 6 wheelbarrows, 1 pair spectacles, 2 staples, 1 coffee drum door. Sharpened—31 pairs scissors, 25 knives, 15 sickles, 1 set surgical instruments, 1 hash cutter, 1 eraser.

Engineer performed 225 days' labor, as follows: New Work—Hot water stoves, Warden's house, 8¾; new soil pipe, 23; work at Warden's house, 4½; hot water connections, 2½; gas-fixture, 1¾; cleaning water-closet Ward "O," 2; work in male kitchen, 1½. Repairing—Gas connections, 7¾; electric connections, 2; bath tubs, 5½; washhouses, 2; sink, 1; range, 1; waste-pipe, 1½; repairing leaks at New Female Pavilion, 8; drain-pipe Incurable Hospital, 1½; drain-pipe, Female Pavilion, ½; water-pipes, ½; wash-house boiler, 3½; repairs to old valves, 3; soil and drain pipe, Ward "L," Female Incurable Hospital; steam-pipe, female kitchen; water-closet and sink, Ward "P" and drug store. Repacking Croton cocks. Strapping girder boiler house; water back in range.

Tinsmiths performed 277 days' labor, as follows: Made—77 galvanized-iron leaders, 16 10-foot elbows, 8-foot flashing, 1 chimney stopper, 13 gallon dipper, 2 20-foot pipe, 1 galvanized-iron box, 1 syringe, 4 collars, 1 tin pail, 5 5-gallon boilers, 1 ice-box lining, 16 pans, 38 pails, 1 sprinkler, 4 20-gallon oil-cans, 2 fresh-air pipe caps, 4 strainers for slop hoppers, new buildings, 126 feet 3 inch leader, 1 tea-kettle, 4 spoons, 5 tea strainers, 1 cake turner, 2 ladles, 1 13-gallon dipper, 1 broiler, 1 scoop, 1 60-gallon boiler cover, 2 chamber pails, 2 15-gallon oil-cans, 1 copper elbow, 4 pie plates, 1 flour sieve, 1 colander, 1 watering pot, 8 40-gallon cans, 2 slop jars, 100 feet of new roof, 15 pans. Repaired—4 roofs, 3 gutters, 1 sink, 73 pieces tinware. Painted—4 roofs and cornices. Repaired Female Hospital roof, 4 lamps, 1 coffee pot, cleaning range Female Hospital, 38 pieces for Almshouse.

Coopers—Performed 115 days' labor, as follows: Made—2 barrels, 9 bread hogsheads, 4 tubs. Repaired—60 barrels, 11 tubs, 49 pails. Coopered—18 barrels, 4 pails.

Seamstresses and Knitters—Performed 3,147 days' labor, as follows: Made—80 pair socks, 580 sheets, 359 shirts, 350 pillow cases, 120 dresses, 125 hoods, 120 caps, 105 nightgowns, 350 pillow ticks, 20 Almshouse calico dresses, 250 Almshouse chemises, 54 Almshouse towels, 20 shroud caps. Repaired—612 shirts, 822 sheets, 100 nightgowns, 80 calico dresses, 264 brown drill dresses, 100 hoods, 50 shroud caps, 1,258 pairs socks, 74 pillow cases, 22 petticoats, 248 pairs canton flannel drawers, 17 chemises, 272 canton flannel shirts, 33 blankets, 41 bed-ticks, 4 spreads.

Tailors—Performed 943½ days' labor, as follows: Made—455 jackets, 404 pairs pants, 113 caps. Repaired—2,287 jackets, 1,380 vests, 2,806 pairs pants, 792 caps, 2 coats, 7 pairs pants for Incurable Hospital.

Shoemaker—Performed 401 days' labor, as follows: Repaired—610 pairs men's and women's shoes.

Washerwomen—Performed 1,045 days' labor, as follows: Washed—123,702 pieces.

Painters and Plasterers—Performed 245 days' labor, as follows: General Repairs.

Masons—Performed 119½ days' labor, as follows: New Work—Making new entrance, concreting floor of cellar, Female Building, Ward 28; concreting floor of Washhouse, laying soil pipe, new curbing around trees; building, in retaining-wall, rear of Female Pavilion; laying drain-

cover, repairing chimneys at Female Hospital; brick walks around sewer pipe, Female Hospital. Repairing gutter in retaining-wall at Male and Female Building; relaying flagging; repairs at boiler-house; laying flagwalk at Pavilion and Wards "O" and "P"; setting range; cutting flue hole; laying brick hearth; clearing sewers.

Laborers—Performed 1,441 days' labor, as follows: Cleaning and repairing roads and foot-paths; sodding and trimming grass-plots; pruning trees; removing debris.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. S. McNAMARA, Warden.

GENERAL DRUG DEPARTMENT, BELLEVUE HOSPITAL,)
NEW YORK, July 1, 1891. }

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President, Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Herewith I have the honor to submit my report for the second quarter of the current year: Requisitions for medical supplies have been filled for the undermentioned institutions, viz.:

1st. Regular bi-weekly medical requisitions Nos. 8-13 for Bellevue Hospital, Charity Hospital, Almshouse, Lunatic Asylum, B. I.; Insane Asylum, W. I.; Homoeopathic Hospital, W. I.; Infants' Hospital, R. I.; Randall's Island Hospital, Branch Lunatic Asylum, H. I.; Gouverneur Hospital, Harlem Hospital, City Prison, Bureau Medical and Surgical Relief, Out-door Poor; Bellevue Hospital, New York City Asylum for Insane, Central Islip; Workhouse, B. I.

2d. Special monthly requisitions: From the Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth District Prisons, Westchester Dispensary for Out-door Poor, Superintendent Out-door Poor, No. 66 Third avenue, Photographic Department, B. H.

3d. General surgical requisitions (bi-weekly), Nos. 8-13, have also been filled for the following institutions, comprising the following current numbers: Bellevue Hospital, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166; Charity Hospital, 109, 126, 136, 167; Almshouse, 168; Workhouse, B. I., 120; Lunatic Asylum, B. I., 159; Insane Asylum, W. I., 108, 124, 137, 170; Insane Asylum, H. I., 107, 138, 139, 157; Insane Asylum, C. I., 140; Homoeopathic Hospital, W. I., 122, 148, 171; Randall's Island Hospital, 119, 150, 169; Gouverneur Hospital, 118, 135, 147, 158; Harlem Hospital, 106, 123, 141, 149, 173; City Prison, 121; Bureau Medical and Surgical Relief, Out-door Poor; Bellevue Hospital, 125, 172.

The customary analyses of articles supplied by contract and of such medical supplies as required it have been made. The daily examination and tests of the cows' and condensed milk supplied to this Department have been continued.

A new set of Rules and Regulations concerning medical and surgical supplies and the conduct of business in the Drug Stores of this Department has been prepared, with the assistance and concurrence of the Medical Boards of the different Institutions. It is necessary that these rules should be printed and distributed without delay.

Very respectfully,

CHARLES RICE, Chemist.

BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, July 1, 1891.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President, Board of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I have the honor to submit the following report for the quarter ending June 30, 1891:

Labor Performed by Unpaid Help.

Carpenter Work—Doctor's Room (No. 3), repaired windows and put in sash-cord; Ward 7, repaired 3 windows and put in sash-cord; Store-room, made 2 new drawers for table; Ward 36, made bandage roller; Female Lodging-house, made 2 new benches and did general repairs; Ward 10, repaired 4 windows and put in sash-cord; Ward 1, made 20 splints, various sizes; Ward 22, repaired water-closet; Elevator, repaired 2 doors; Ward 25, repaired ice-box; Ward 23, repaired large chair; Ward 21, made new closets; Male Training School, repaired 7 windows, put in sash-cord and did general jobbing; Ward 33, repaired windows and put in sash-cord; Ward 17, made 2 screen frames; Doctor's Room (No. 15), repaired door and window; Ward 7, repaired 3 windows and put in sash-cord; Store Hall, repaired 2 doors; Store-room, repaired 4 bins; Drug Store, repaired cellar door; Ward 12, repaired 3 windows; Ward 6, made 2 screens; Ward 20, repaired ice-box; Ward 16, repaired ice-box; Store Cellar, repaired 2 locks; Ward 30, repaired ice-box; Ward 27, made new table; Ward 31, put new lock on clothes-closet; Centre Building, repaired windows on first floor and put in sash-cords; Male Training School, repaired 2 doors; Ward 4, repaired wood work in water closet; Ward 7, general repairs to chairs and window blinds; Ward 36, repaired closet and put on new lock; Telegraph Office, repaired door in back room; Ward 14, put up new shelf in Nurses' room; Ward 40, repaired 4 windows and put in sash-cord; Ward 20, made cover for bath-tub and repaired wood work in water-closet; Ward 29, made and put up a shelf in store-room; Ward 28, repaired 2 screen frames; Ward 22, repaired 4 windows, did general jobbing to chairs and bed-stands; Emergency Hospital, repaired 6 windows and put in sash cord; put up 3 new shelves and repaired 2 tables and floor of bath-room; put new locks on 2 doors; repaired 1 ice-box and 3 stools; repaired partition on first floor and made 2 screens; made and put drawer in kitchen table and put up 2 shelves; repaired sideboard; Ward 9, repaired door of Nurse's room and put on new lock; Ward 15, repaired 2 bed tables and three stools; Ward 30, made and put up new clothes-closet; Ward 1, repaired door of bath-room; Ward 5, repaired 3 windows and put in sash-cord; Ward 40, repaired 2 bedstands and 3 chairs; Female Cells, repaired closet in Nurses' room and put up 2 new shelves; repaired floor in 2 cells and door of water-closet; Doctor's Room (No. 1), repaired closets, did general jobbing; Drug Store, repaired shelving under counters and floor in back room; Store-room, repaired doors of milk cooler; Hall, put in new gratings under the milk cans and raised ice holders three inches; strengthened the ice shelves with new supports and cleats; put 2 new wheels on sliding doors and repaired track for them; Ward 4, repaired 5 bed springs, 2 bed stands and seat of water-closet; Ward 33, repaired 2 stools and chair; Ward 11, made and put up shelves and done general repairs in store-room; Ward 24, put new lock and new shelf in clothes closet; Ward 2, made and put in new seat and front piece in water-closet; Centre Building, repaired door on east entrance to second floor; Laundry, repaired 3 tables and 7 wash-tubs; general jobbing on wood work of tubs on first floor; Telegraph Office, repaired book-closet under back stairway; Ward 40, repaired shelves in clothes closets and door at east entrance; Doctor's Room (No. 7), put new lock on door and shelf in wardrobe; Ward 9, made 7 splints, different sizes; Dressing Room, made and put up new shelf; Ward 18, repaired 2 benches and 1 arm-chair; Ward 32, repaired ice-box and put on new lock; put new lock on medicine closet; Ward 23, repaired clothes closet and 2 stools; Ward 31, repaired kitchen table; Male Training School, repaired lock on inner door of laundry and put up 1 new shelf; Store-room, repaired drawers of hardware closet and braced up shelves in crockery room; Main Building, repaired partition in hallway on third floor; Out-door Poor, put 2 new shelves in waiting-room and done general jobbing in Apothecary's department; Ward 38, repaired clothes and medicine closets and made and put up new shelf in Attendants' room; Ward 3, done general jobbing in Nurses' room, repaired windows and put in sash-cord; Ambulances, made 36 splints, 12 12-inch, 12 18-inch, 12 24-inch; Ward 28, repaired 3 bed-stands; Ward 22, repaired windows and put in sash-cord; Ward 25, put new drawer in Nurse's table; Female Erysipelas, made 1 new screen; Ward 13, put up shelves in operating room; Ward 16, repaired wheel-chair and shelves in bath-room; Doctor's Room (No. 8), repaired lock on door; Ward 12, repaired window blinds; Ward 3, made 2 new screens; Ward 22, made 4 new screens; Morgue, put new fastening on door and made 2 new racks; Ward 10, repaired window and put in sash-cord; Ward 28, repaired 3 stools; Ambulance (No. 9), put on hinges; Ward 41, repaired windows and put in sash-cord; Doctor's Room (No. 4), repaired door; Doctor's Room (No. 1), repaired lock; Ward 31, put lock on clothes closet; Tower, put on door, fifth floor; Ward 18, repaired refrigerator; Ward 15, repaired cords in windows; Ward 10, repaired ice-box; Ward 19, repaired window cords and hinges on closet seats; Male Erysipelas, put lock on clothes closet and put up small closet; repaired seat in water-closet; Ward 32, repaired window cords; Male Training School, repaired dumb waiter and hinges of door; Ward 31, repaired lock and shelf; Ward 10, repaired windows and put in sash cord; Ward 40, repaired wash-stand; Ward 22, made 3 mosquito net frames; Ward 18, repaired window and put in sash cord; Ward 40, repaired 3 shutters; Ward 4, repaired window and put in sash cord; Ward 28, repaired 3 stools; Prison Ward, repaired flooring; Female Erysipelas, made clothes box; Dressing Room, repaired medicine closet; Ward 19, repaired back of medicine closet; Doctor's Room (No. 2), put lock on door; Ambulance, repaired windows in sleeping-room; Ward 15, put lock on Attendant's door; Tower, put door on clothes room; Doctor's Room (No. 16), general repairs; Ward 31, repaired shutters and lock on Night Nurses' cupboard and put boards on bath casing; Ward 1, repaired door of clothes closet; Ward 17, made 2 new screens; Ward 15, put lock on medicine closet and on bandage closet and partition in medicine closet; Doctor's Room (No. 8), repaired lock on door; Ward 8, made and put up door for recess; Ward 27, put lock on ice-box.

Painting—Towers, painted all the roofs 2 coats; Ward 21, painted new woodwork on closets in Dining-room 2 coats; Ward 28, painted closets in Dining-room 2 coats; Ward 1, painted 6 bed-stands 2 coats; Ward 31, painted table for Dr. Waterman 2 coats; Ward 15, painted Medicine Closets and bedstand 2 coats; Emergency Hospital, painted bridge, storm door and door of Nurses' Room 2 coats—did general jobbing there; Ward 38, painted closets 2 coats; Ward 17, painted bedstands and shelf 2 coats; Ward 1, painted subbase 1 coat; Ward 22, painted table 2 coats; Ward 5, painted walls and woodwork 1 coat; Ward 11, painted Medicine Closets and Operating Room 1 coat; Ward 27, painted screen frames 1 coat; Ward 14, painted closet 1 coat; Ward 7, painted walls and woodwork 1 coat; Ward 15, painted shelves in Operating Room 1 coat; Ward 6, painted the heaters with bronze; Erysipelas Ward, painted closets and bed-stands 1 coat; Ward 38, painted shelves 1 coat; Ward 17, painted woodwork in closets 1 coat; Laundry, painted

roof 1 coat; Extra Kitchen, painted roof 1 coat; West Wing, painted hall and staircase of southern entrance 2 coats; Ward 15, painted Operating Room 1 coat and did general jobbing; Photographic Room, painted woodwork and shelves 1 coat and general jobbing; Ward 23, painted eight bed-cots 1 coat, calcimined ceiling 2 coats and painted walls and woodwork 1 coat; Ward 30, painted all screen frames 1 coat; Ward 3, calcimined ceiling 1 coat; Ward 1, painted clothes closet 2 coats; Ward 30, painted subbase all round 1 coat; Ward 12, painted bath-rooms and chair 1 coat; Ward 20, painted 6 screen frames 1 coat; Ward 21, painted clothes closets 2 coats and shelves and screens 1 coat; Ward 19, painted medicine closet 2 coats; Ward 27, painted seven bed-cots 1 coat; Ward 20, painted subbase of hall and staircase 1 coat; Ward 11, painted bath-room 2 coats, calcimined ceiling 1 coat; Prison Ward, painted screens, closets and woodwork—did general jobbing; Ward 19, calcimined Kitchen ceiling 1 coat, painted walls and closets 2 coats; Ward 9, painted Splint Room, Dining Room and walls 2 coats, calcimined ceiling 1 coat—did general jobbing; Ward 7, calcimined Reception Room and ceiling 2 coats, painted closet and walls 2 coats; Ward 8, painted northeast stairway, ceiling and walls and dado 1 coat; Ward 7, painted and grained closet; Ward 15, painted and grained closet; Lodging-house, painted storm-door; Milk Hall, painted walls and doors 1 coat; Prison Ward, calcimined ceiling 2 coats; Laundry, painted and grained storm doors 2 coats; Ward 23, painted blinds; Ward 15, painted and grained doors in Operating Room.

Plastering—Ward 3, jobbing work on walls and ceiling; Stock Room, repaired ceiling in pillow room and wall in provision room; Third Floor, done general repairs on walls; Ward 33, plastering walls at bath-room and water-closet; Lodging-house, general jobbing on walls and ceiling; Centre Building (2d floor), repaired walls of hall and put on hard finish; Ward 19, general repairs; Doctor's Room (No. 12), general repairs; Ward 34, put hard finish on ceiling; Ward 11, general repairs to small sleeping-room; Ward 2, repaired ceiling; Ward 41, repaired ceiling over hot water and steam-pipes; Harlem Hospital, done general repairs; M. E. P., done general repairs; Milk Hall, repaired ceiling; Centre Building (3d floor), general repairs to walls and ceiling in hallway; Ward 17, put hard finish on ceiling; Ward 28, repaired walls and ceiling; Ward 6, repaired walls and ceiling; Ward 14, repaired walls at bath-room.

Glazing—Ward 16, put in 2 lights, 14 x 20; Ward 9, put in 1 light, 12 x 14; Store-room Hall, put in 1 light, 12 x 14; Ward 4, put in 2 lights, 16 x 28; Ward 32, put in 2 lights, 10 x 12; Ward 2, put in 1 light, 14 x 18; Ward 1, put in 2 lights, 14 x 18; Photographer, put in 1 light, 16 x 24; Laundry, put in 5 lights, 10 x 12; Cellar Store, put in 1 light, 12 x 14; Ward 15, put in 2 lights, 14 x 20; Ward 41, put in 2 lights, 12 x 18; Ward 32, put in 1 light, 16 x 20; Cook House, put in one light, 10 x 12; O. D. P., put in 2 lights, 10 x 12; Ward 8, put in 2 lights, 12 x 18; Patients' Clothes Room, put in 1 light, 10 x 12; Reception Office, put in 1 light, 12 x 14; Dressing-room, put in 1 light, 12 x 14; Telegraph Office, put in 2 lights, 12 x 18; Ward 16, put in 1 light, 14 x 20; Ward 13, put in 2 lights, 16 x 20; Gate House, put in 1 light, 12 x 14; Ward 5, put in 1 light, 10 x 12; Ward 14, put in 1 light, 16 x 20; Ward 23, put in 2 lights, 16 x 20; Ward 5, put in 1 light, 10 x 12; General Drug Department, put in 4 lights, 12 x 14; Doctor's Room (No. 5), put in 1 light, 12 x 18; Ward 30, put in 2 lights, 14 x 22; Ward 6, put in 1 light, 14 x 18; Boiler House, put in 2 lights, 10 x 12; Laundry, put in 1 light, 12 x 14; Attics, put in 3 lights, 10 x 12; Storehouse, put in 1 light, 10 x 12; Ward 20, put in 1 light, 12 x 20; Ward 1, put in 2 lights, 14 x 18; Centre Building (2d floor), put in 2 lights, 12 x 26; Ward 7, put in 1 light, 14 x 18; Ward 22, put in 3 lights, 10 x 14; Ward 24, put in 1 light, 12 x 18; Hot House, put in 4 lights, 10 x 12; Male Training School, put in 3 lights, 14 x 24; Carpenter Shop, put in 1 light, 8 x 10; Doctor's Room (No. 7), put in 1 light, 12 x 18; Ward 32, put in 2 lights, 10 x 12; Ward 19, put in 1 light, 10 x 14; Ward 31, put in 1 light, 12 x 18, frosted; Ward 12, put in 1 light, 14 x 20; Ward 34, put in 1 light, 14 x 20; Dock, put in 3 lights, 10 x 12; Ward 22, put in 1 light, 12 x 18; Ward 5, put in 1 light, 10 x 12.

Miscellaneous—Whitewashing all the basements and cellars and all places above ground that required it, also trees in grounds around the Hospital; the balance of the unpaid help were employed as stretcher carriers, messengers, coal shovellers, gardeners, Store-room and keeping the grounds about the Hospital in order.

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. O'ROURKE, Warden.

Statement of Charity and Maternity Hospitals for the Quarter ending June 30, 1891.

1891.	WHITE.		COLORED.		TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.			
Remaining March 31, 1891.....	461	359	5	5	830	342	488
Admitted during quarter.....	1,159	697	9	3	1,868	637	1,231
Total.....	1,620	1,056	14	8	2,698	979	1,719
Discharged during quarter.....	1,149	728	8	4	1,889	642	1,247
Died during quarter.....	104	48	2	..	154	57	97
Total.....	1,253	776	10	4	2,043	699	1,344
Remaining June 30, 1891.....	367	280	4	4	655	280	375

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

Admissions, Births, Discharges and Deaths at Charity Hospital during the Quarter ending June 30, 1891.

PATIENTS ONLY.	ADMISSIONS AND BIRTHS.								
	WHITE.		COLORED.		BIRTHS.		Total.	Native.	Foreign.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.			
April.....	400	237	5	1	9	21	673	230	443
May.....	356	198	2	1	9	7	573	203	370
June.....	373	225	2	1	11	10	622	204	418
Total.....	1,129	660	9	3	29	38	1,868	637	1,231

	DISCHARGES.							DEATHS.						
	WHITE.		COLORED.		Total.	Native.	Foreign.	WHITE.		COLORED.		Total.	Native.	Foreign.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.				Male.	Female.					
April.....	430	266	3	1	700	228	472	41	19	..	..	60	23	37
May.....	358	238	1	2	599	220	379	41	17	2	..	60	18	42
June.....	361	224	4	1	590	195	395	22	12	..	..	34	16	18
Total.....	1,149	728	8	4	1,889	643	1,246	104	48	2	..	154	57	97

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

Confinements, Births, Still-births and Deaths in Maternity Hospital during the Quarter ending June 30, 1891.

1891.	NUMBER OF CONFINEMENTS.	NUMBER OF BIRTHS.	NUMBER OF STILL-BIRTHS.	NUMBER OF DEATHS OF MOTHERS.	NUMBER OF DEATHS OF CHILDREN.	TWIN CASES.
April.....	29	28	1	2	5	..
May.....	18	17	1	..	1	..
June.....	25	22	3	1	..	..
Total.....	72	67	5	3	6	..

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

Distribution of Extra Diet to Patients at Charity Hospital during the Quarter ending June 30, 1891.

1891.	No. of Patients.	Brandy, Ounces.	Whiskey, Ounces.	Wine, Ounces.	Ale, Pints.	Milk, Pints.	Eggs, No.	Sugar, Ounces.	Crackers, Ounces.	Beef-tea, Pints.	Beefsteak, No.	Oatmeal Gruel, Pints.
April.....	801	134	11,113	1,863	.....	28,495	15,323	15,546	15,546	2,357	3,579	13,940
May.....	732	64	11,250	1,351	.....	29,115	14,838	14,272	14,272	198	3,192	14,468
June.....	702	224	11,496	886	.....	26,943	16,231	13,740	13,740	214	3,232	12,569
Total.....	2,235	422	33,859	4,100	.....	84,553	46,392	43,558	43,558	2,769	10,003	40,977

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

Quarterly Statement, Hospital for Nervous Diseases.

PATIENTS ONLY.	WHITE.		COLORED.		TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.			
Remaining March 31, 1891.....	38	43	..	..	81	62	19
Admitted during quarter.....	30	3	..	..	33	14	19
Total.....	68	46	..	..	114	76	38
Discharged during quarter.....	4	1	..	..	5	3	2
Died during quarter.....	29	1	..	..	30	12	18
Total.....	33	2	..	..	35	15	20
Remaining June 30, 1891.....	33	44	..	..	79	61	18

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

HOMŒOPATHIC HOSPITAL, WARD'S ISLAND, }
July 1, 1891.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President of Board of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Report for the quarter ending June 30, 1891, is herewith respectfully forwarded:

Quarterly Census.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
PATIENTS.					
Remaining March 31, 1891.....	297	172	469	112	357
Births.....	1	2	3	3	....
Admissions.....	837	363	1,200	349	851
Total	1,135	537	1,672	464	1,208
Discharges.....	844	364	1,208	328	880
Transfers.....	5	12	17	1	16
Deaths.....	44	30	74	17	57
Total	893	406	1,299	346	953
Remaining June 30, 1891.....	242	131	373	118	255
WORKHOUSE HELP.					
Remaining March 31, 1891.....	19	47	66	31	35
Admissions.	188	143	331	148	183
Total	207	190	397	179	218
Discharges	184	128	312	144	168
Transfers.	5	14	19	6	13
Total	189	142	331	150	181
Remaining June 30, 1891.....	18	48	66	29	37

LABOR REPORT.

Carpenter work—3 packing cases, 3 feet long, 2 feet deep, 18 inches wide; 100 feet moulding, Steward's Room; 8 window pulls, 3 pairs crutches, 1 table, 2 feet 6 inches high, 5 feet long, 18 inches wide; 1 platform, 5 feet long, 16 inches wide; 1 platform, 12 feet long, 18 inches wide; 1 door, 6 feet high, 2 feet 10 inches wide; fire-escape, Ward G; 1 shelf, 5 feet 8 inches long, 16 inches wide; 1 shelf, 3 feet long, 9 inches wide; 1 shelf, 4 feet long, 10 inches wide; 1 book-rack, 5 feet high, 2 feet wide, 10 inches deep, with four shelves; 1 book-rack, 3 feet 10 inches high, 1 foot 9 inches wide, 8 inches deep, with three shelves; 1 splint, 3 feet long, 6 inches wide;

1 splint, 2 feet long, 3 inches wide; 1 splint, 2 feet long, 6 inches wide; 120 feet 3 x 10 inch spruce for wall plate, 80 feet 8 x 8 inch spruce for girder and posts, 50 feet spruce floor beams, 16 feet long, 2 x 8 inches; 1,250 feet square feet pine flooring, 150 feet pine lumber, and 90 feet 1-inch moulding for cornice; 300 feet spruce joist, 4 x 4 inches, for roof support; 45 feet pine lumber for roof, laid for conservatory. Repaired—5 bedsteads, 32 chairs, 11 doors, 2 head rests, 34 stools, 2 skylights, 9 tables, 5 wardrobes, 2 washstands, 14 windows, 3 wooden pails, new sash cord put in 50 windows.

Painted—51 bed blocks, 51 bedsteads, Ward I; ceilings, walls and woodwork of 35 rooms, 42 lights of glass put in window sash.

Calculated—Walls and ceilings of 40 rooms.

Plastering—446 square feet, in various parts of the building.

Engineer's Department—General repairs throughout the building on steam, light and sanitary.

Linen Room—Made 52 aprons, 95 bed spreads, 60 night gowns. Repaired 402 chemises, 409 sheets, 243 slips, 472 cotton shirts, 110 blue overshirts, 164 undershirts, 174 striped hickory shirts, 231 night gowns, 135 bed spreads, 283 dresses, 289 bed ticks, 112 denim jackets, 506 pairs pants, 79 pillow ticks, 116 petticoats, 41 table cloths, 219 pairs stockings.

Respectfully submitted,

G. T. STEWART, Chief of Staff.

INFANTS' HOSPITAL, RANDALL'S ISLAND, }
July 1, 1891. }

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following census and labor report of this Institution for quarter ending June 30, 1891:

Very respectfully,

JAMES R. HEALY, Medical Superintendent.

	CHILDREN.						Total Children.	ADULTS.			WORKHOUSE HELP.						Total Adults.	Grand Total.
	MOTHERS.			ORPHANS.				Native.	Foreign.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Nurses.	Native.	Foreign.	Total.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.												
Remaining March 31, 1891.	43	33	76	54	55	109	185	22	35	57	17	26	14	24	33	57	114	299
Admitted	62	57	119	115	102	217	336	34	58	92	98	92	29	91	128	219	311	647
Total	105	90	195	169	157	326	521	56	93	149	115	118	43	115	161	276	425	946
Died.....	8	7	15	104	98	202	217	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	1	218
Discharged.....	57	49	106	21	17	38	144	37	61	98	92	80	21	80	113	193	291	435
Eloped.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	2	2	2
Remaining June 30, 1891...	40	34	74	44	42	86	150	19	32	51	21	37	22	33	47	80	131	291

The Carpenters were employed in laying new floor in Trained Nurses' Dining Room and repairing floors in various parts of building, made new gangway and landing stage at foot of East One Hundred and Twentieth street, erected new fence at One Hundred and Twentieth street dock and repaired passengers' waiting-room, renewed the sash-cord throughout the main building and contagious wards. Repaired the inside window blinds, large and small ferry-boats, made new medicine closets, made and fitted keys and repaired damaged locks, made tent platforms, repaired furniture and did all other necessary carpenter work in and around building.

The Painters have calcimined the ceilings and painted walls of all wards and hallways in the building, painted the wood and brickwork of verandas, painted sashes, stained hall floors, painted roof of main building and gas-house, scraped and revarnished doors of main entrance, repaired walls, ceilings and dados where broken, varnished steam radiators in halls and wards, painted walls and stained floors in apartments of Medical Staff and renewed window glass where broken.

The Male Workhouse Help were employed in stables, gas-house, engine-room, store and as messengers.

The Female Workhouse Help were employed in laundry, kitchen, Nurses's dining-room as waitresses, chambermaids and scrubbers.

RANDALL'S ISLAND SCHOOLS, }
June 30, 1891. }

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I respectfully submit to your Honorable Board the following report of this Institution for the quarter ending this date.

QUARTERLY CENSUS.

	GRAMMAR SCHOOL.	INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.	SCHOOL FOR FEEBLE-MINDED.
Number on Register March 31, 1891.....	307	105	135
Number admitted	56	7	8
Total	363	112	143
Number discharged.....	44	10	3
Number remaining.....	319	102	140
Total	363	112	143
Average daily attendance	249	100	130

LABOR REPORT OF INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

Sewing Department.

Articles made:	Repaired:
Button-holes	Dresses
Dresses	

Tailoring Department.

Articles made:	Articles made:
Aprons	Trousers
Jackets	

Shoemaking Department.

Repaired:	
Shoes	

Basket-making Department.

Articles made:	Articles made:
Bushel baskets	Market baskets
Clothes baskets	Trunk baskets
Half bushel baskets	Waste paper baskets
Hampers	Willow cages

Carpentry Department.

Articles made:	Articles made:
Bases for flower vases	Wash-stands
Boxes for plants	Window screen frames
Doors	Window frames and sashes, cut and fitted
Door frames	Repaired:
Front to lumber shed	Blackboards
Partitions, 8 x 14 feet	Desks
Sashes	Doors
Step ladder, 6 feet	Hanging and fitting screen doors
9 feet	Wire screen fitted

Removing stormhouse.

Taking down and removing greenhouse.

Tinware Department.

Articles made:	Articles made:
Bake pans	Mess boxes
Coffee strainers	Mail boxes
Colanders	Oatmeal boilers
Cups, 1 quart	Pails, 6 gallons
1 pint	4 gallons
Dish pans	2 gallons
Dippers, 1-quart	6 quarts
Dust pans	1 gallon
Fish boilers	3 quarts
Gravy strainers	2 quarts
Ink trays	Sauce pans, 3 pints
Kettles, copper, 6-quarts	Syringe, 14 inches
Kettles, tea	Thimble and cap for chimney
Repaired:	Wash basins
Leaders	Watering pots, 2 gallons, galvanized iron
Articles made:	1 quart
Mess pans	Weed cutters

Gardening Department.

Articles made:	Articles made:
Flower beds, made and planted	Rustic baskets, filled and planted
weeded	Slips, cut and planted
Lawns, mowed and trimmed	

LABOR REPORT OF SCHOOL FOR FEEBLE-MINDED.

Sewing Department.

Articles made:	Hemmed:
Button-holes	Handkerchiefs
Dresses	Towels
Altered:	Repaired:
Drawers	Aprons
Skirts	Bed-ticks
Hemmed:	Dresses
Chemises	

Mat-making Department.

Mats manufactured	
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Laundry.

Number of pieces washed and ironed	
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Very respectfully,

M. C. DUNPHY, Superintendent.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE,
BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, July 8, 1891. }

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following report for the quarter ending June 30, 1891.

Respectfully,

E. C. DENT, Medical Superintendent.

Sewing Room.

ARTICLES MADE.	FOR INSANE ASYLUM, B. I.	FOR OTHER INSTITUTIONS.	TOTAL.
Bed-ticks	200	150	350
Pillow-ticks	200	350	550
Sheets	1,113	1,042	2,155
Pillow-cases	800	748	1,548
Spreads	100	125	225
Muslin chemises	960	364	1,324
Muslin drawers .....	..	593	593
Canton flannel chemises	960	..	960
Canton flannel drawers	1,223	..	1,223
Calico wrappers .....	..	110	110
Men's shirts .....	..	1,058	1,058
Night gowns	60	128	188
Roller towels	595	2,706	3,301
Hand towels	50	..	50
Dish towels	327	..	327
Bathing towels	211	..	211
Womens' dresses	1,395	..	1,395
Womens' petticoats	625	..	625
Dresses, seersucker, for Attendants' Uniform	145	..	145
Aprons, bleached muslin, for Attendants' Uniform	95	..	95
Caps, lawn and lace, for Attendants' Uniform	150	..	150
Aprons, cooks	200	334	534
Caps, cooks	50	496	546
Aprons, girls .....	..	600	600
Dresses, babies .....	..	400	400
Shirts, babies .....	..	204	204
Mittens	200	..	200
	9,659	9,408	19,067
Stockings, knitted	370	..	370
Total	10,029	9,408	19,437

Cutting Room.		Articles cut:	
Articles cut:		Dresses, uniform.....	145
Sheets.....	1,113	Aprons, uniform.....	100
Pillow cases.....	800	Caps, uniform.....	150
Muslin chemises.....	960	Kitchen aprons.....	200
Canton flannel chemises.....	960	Dish towels.....	327
Canton flannel drawers.....pairs,	1,223	Bathing towels.....	211
Roller towels.....	595	Total.....	8,204
Hand towels.....	60		
Dresses.....	1,360		

Manufactory.		Articles made:	
Articles made:		Baskets.....	110
Scrub brushes.....	2,205	Roll rag carpet, 93 yards.....	1
Nail brushes.....	75	Total.....	2,481
Coir mats.....	25		
Fancy mats.....	40		
Tampico mats.....	25		

Fancy School.		Made:	
Made:		Piano covers.....	5
Babies' stockings.....pairs,	23	Lace (400 yards).....pieces,	150
Embroidered pillow shams.....pairs,	7	Ladies' lace.....	26
Watch cases.....	5	Ladies' ribbon.....	4
Babies' quilts.....	2	Brush holders.....	5
Coseys.....	3	Wall pockets.....	9
Cushions.....	2	Handkerchief holders.....	5
Embroidered needle-books.....	7	Lace curtains.....pair,	1
Embroidered table-covers.....	3	Braided Baskets.....	5
Cuffs.....pairs,	18	Total.....	305
Collars.....	18		
Slippers.....pairs,	7		

Laundry.		Number of pieces laundered:	
Number of pieces laundered:		For the male help, Blackwell's Island.....	5,436
For the Insane at Blackwell's Island.....	313,232	For General Superintendent, Ward's Island.....	2,395
For the Medical Staff, Blackwell's Island.....	7,857	For the Medical Staff, Ward's Island.....	3,813
For the female employees, Blackwell's Island.....	59,695	For the female help, Ward's Island.....	1,967
For the male employees, Blackwell's Island.....	7,680	Total.....	402,183
For the Roman Catholic chapel, Blackwell's Island.....	108		

Engineer—Put new sink in Retreat 2, new hot-water faucets in dining-rooms throughout Retreat, and new gas-burners in Retreat 4 and dormitory of Retreat; put new washers in unions, packed steam valves, and cleaned out trap of main sewer-pipe in Retreat cellar; repaired bath-tub in Retreat 2, hot water faucet and sink in Retreat 3, and removed broken radiator from sitting-room in Retreat 3; also repaired gas-pipe in Retreat 6 sitting-room, hot water faucets in Retreats 2, 4, 5 and 6, and put new cold water faucet on in Retreat 4; cleaned out gas-burners and brackets, waste-pipes of sinks and water-closets throughout Retreat; cleaned out stoppage in Croton water supply to bathrooms of Retreats 1 and 4, and supply-pipe to cisterns in Retreats 4 and 5; put new packing in expansion joint and valves in Hall 1, new washer in couplings of Croton supply to water-closets, and new steam-valves on radiator in main building; put on 24 new hot-water faucets (lock cock) in bathrooms of Halls 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, 3 in each; removed eels from Croton water pipe in Halls 1, 4 and Retreat; cleaned out gas-burners and brackets, waste-pipes of sinks and water-closets in halls throughout main building; repaired gas-lamp on main stoop, repaired and bronzed chandeliers in main and lower halls, and cleaned out ten leaders from porch over front stoop; removed iron-work around railing on cupola of Main Building, and burst radiator from Male Dormitory; repaired burst steam-pipe to hot water tank and plug for bath-tub in Hall 8, leaks in steam-pipes in Halls 3 and 4, hot water faucet in Hall 1, and plug for bath-tub in Hall 7; connected new sink, hot and cold water faucets, pipe, etc., in new pantry of Hall 5; also made new slate sink and repaired plug of bath-tub, using 150 feet of galvanized $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pipe, 2 faucets, with all necessary fittings; repaired stove-pipe on hot water stove, and put all cisterns in order at Attendants' Home; put new gas-burners on in two rooms for Medical Staff, and made new chandelier in Staff Dining Room; made and put up ventilation and smoke-pipe from range in Attendants' Dining Room through roof, and repaired steam-valves on steam-pipes, and bands for ventilator pipe; made and put 6 gas-brackets, foot-lights on stage, and tin lining in foot-light box; also put on 26 lava-tip burners, and bronzed radiators in Amusement Hall; repaired hand hole plate for boiler in Laundry Boiler Room, steam-engine, clothes-horses, etc.; put new fire-brick and centre partition in Dundenberg stove in Laundry, and new bolt in furnace door of steam-boiler in Laundry Boiler Room; cut out linings and made new bolts for Laundry boilers, putting new linings and brick in ash-pan of boilers, and repaired door of steam-boiler; removed sink and put up small one, repaired steam-pump and put iron braces under main steam-pipes in main Boiler Room; connected and set steam-pump in main Boiler Room, removing old steam water-pipes; packed steam valves, unions, etc., in trench under main Boiler Room, and repaired burst air-chamber on steam-pump; removed broken valves from cooking kettles in Public Kitchen, and put on 4 new Ludlow gate valves, three new check valves and 1 new angle valve, making all leaks tight in steam cooking kettles; also made and put 5 spindles on gate-valves; cleaned out cess-pool of main sewer from Public Kitchen, and repaired sewer and main exhaust pipe from Public Kitchen to Boiler Room; put new gasket in flange union of steam-pipe, new valves, and repaired burst steam-pipes and leaks under steam cooking kettles; made new colander, repaired broiling iron, and put in fire-brick, grate and new hot water back in range in Staff Kitchen; cleaned and repaired waste-pipe and sink in Attendants' Kitchen, and put new ball-cock and float in hot water tank; put new grate in stove of Pavilion B, repaired stove door, and put new fire-bars under hot water stove; put up new iron tank for hot water, and galvanized-iron pipe for vapor from iron tank in Pavilion K; put new gas taps on in Attendants' rooms in Pavilion D, new Croton water faucet on in Pavilion G, new faucet on over bath-tub, and repaired hot water faucet in Pavilion H; cleaned out waste-pipes of bath-tubs, sinks and water-closets in Pavilions B, C, D, E, G, H and I, sewer-pipe from bath-tub in Pavilion B, and repaired waste-pipe of Pavilion I, gas-pipe and hot water tank in Pavilion C; also cleaned out stove-pipe on hot water stove, and put on new ball-cock and float on hot water tank in Pavilion I; repaired hot water faucet and put cold water faucet on in Pavilion C; repaired leaders in all Pavilions, burst gas-pipe in trench at Pavilion C, and Croton water pipe to water-closet; also repaired burst Croton water pipe in Pavilion K; cleaned out stove-pipes of hot water stoves in Pavilions A, E and F, and leader from roof of Pavilion B; put new hot water faucet on in Pavilion H, new hot water faucet and repaired one in Pavilion D, and new hot water faucets on in Pavilions A and B; cleaned out and connected sewer-pipe in Pavilion F, connected hot water tank, using 1 Mott's cast-iron sectional tank, ball-cock and float, with all necessary pipes, stop-cocks, fittings, etc., also connected Croton water pipe from main to sink in pantry of same pavilion, using 75 feet of $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pipe, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch angle valve and 1 faucet; put up stove-pipe and new tin roof on Hot-house, using 20 feet of 6-inch stove-pipe, and 75 square feet roofing tin, solder, nails, etc.; connected and repaired electric bell wires in Main Building and Retreat; cleaned, repaired and sharpened 3 lawn mowers, and put new lawn mower (large one) in working order; made 25 escutcheon plates for Pavilion doors; repaired 40 tin pails, 30 cooking kettles, with general repairs to Institution.

Carpenter—Removed floor and sleepers from 4 rooms in Hall 1, and replaced with new floor, sleepers, base, etc.; also put new casing around sink in bathroom, repaired main floor and corner strips, lock on fire escape door, window sashes, table, medicine closet, bread cutter, and put new knobs on doors, same hall; removed old wainscoting from water-closet in Hall 2, repaired floors and put new base in two bedrooms; repaired clothes closet, putting up new shelves, doors, locks, dumb waiter, and hung shades on windows in same hall; made new skylight in Hall 4, put new knobs on doors and repaired medicine closet; made cutting for pipe from Hall 5 to Hall 8, and repaired bread cutters in Hall 5; repaired floor in 3 bedrooms in Hall 6; repaired clothes closet, putting up new shelves, windows, doors and locks; repaired floor in 1 bedroom, seats in water-closets, medicine closet, windows and doors in Hall 8; made new floor in Hall and study of Medical Superintendent's cottage; made 6 new ironing boards, 3 new horses, and repaired 6 windows, 2 doors, grating on floor, ironing table, horses, lock on main door, and hung slatted doors in Laundry; repaired floor and made new trap in floor of bathhouse; repaired sitting-room table in Retreat 1, laid new base in 1 bedroom, with new casing in Retreat 2, and new locks on closet doors in Retreat 3; repaired dumb waiter in Retreat 4, guarded windows, doors and locks; also made new base in one bedroom; put new top on table in sitting room of Retreat 6, new base in bedroom, and repaired guarded windows, locks and doors; made new clothes closets, putting up new shelves and new dining-room tables in Retreats 4, 5 and 6; also changed locks in Retreat attic; repaired desk in Assistant Medical Superintendent's Office; put new locks on drawers, repaired door, and made 12 keys for drawers in Staff Office; made new closet in Public Kitchen, putting up coat and hat hooks and repaired lock on back door; made 2 boxes, new screens, repaired windows and doors in 4 rooms, hung pictures, repaired floors in 2 rooms and made sash for bookcase, Medical Staff; hung slatted doors, set tables in Dining Room, and put up strips for brooms in Pavilion C; repaired seats of water-closets in Pavilion D, put new lock on pantry door, repaired 2 doors, 3 windows and made and hung slatted doors in same Pavilion; repaired floor and put new casing in bathroom of Pavilion F, made new cover for tank and repaired around the same; also hung slatted

doors and put up strips for brooms in same Pavilion; made frame for hot water tank in Pavilion K, frame for hearth, casing around sink and new base in floor of bathroom, with new water-closet seats; removed old vises and replaced with new, put up frame and put backs on 500 brushes in Mat Factory; put up carousel; inspected 10,000 feet of lumber for General Storekeeper; made 35 picture frames, repaired 26 benches, 75 settees, 80 chairs and sharpened knives, scissors, etc., with the continuous repairs necessary throughout the Institution.

Mason and Plasterer—Plastered bath room, tank room and dining room in Pavilion K; patched ceiling, side walls and 2 bedrooms in Hall 5; building stone wall of hot-house; concreting floor of main hall and 4 bedrooms in Hall 1; also repaired plastering; patched side walls in 2 bedrooms in Hall 2; plastered bath room, dining room, tank room and patched ceiling of main hall in Pavilion H; repaired concrete floor of fowl house and repaired brick work at cottage; plastered and whitewashed basement from Hall 1; patched side walls in 4 rooms for Medical Staff; repaired plastering in main hall of Pavilion G; repaired tile floor in bath room of Retreat 4, plastering in main hall and sitting room of Retreat 1 and stairways of Retreat from lower to top halls; also repaired plastering in 4 bedrooms in Retreat 4.

Painting and Glazing—Painting and paneling wainscoting main hall in Halls 1 and 5; also painting and glazing new sash for Hall 1; painting and glazing closet for Attendants' Home; painting and graining wardrobe, screen and bookcase for staff room; painting and graining new woodwork of bath room in Pavilion K; calceining 2 ceilings and painting woodwork of one room for staff; painting walls and ceiling of room at cottage; oiling and polishing new wood floors at cottage; painted 4 flower stands; painted and lettered 4 cans for kitchen; painted and lettered meat box; painted and oiled mosquito frames at cottage; painted and lettered 12 water coolers for halls and pavilions; glazed 400 panes of glass throughout the Institution.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, WARD'S ISLAND, }
NEW YORK, July 9, 1891. }

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President, etc.:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to submit the following particulars of work performed by the inmates of this asylum during the quarter ending June 30, 1891:

Printing Bureau—Commissioners—60 copies contract and specifications for steam-heating, Maternity Building, Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island; 75 copies contract and specifications, addition to Harlem Hospital; 40 copies contract and specifications for a pavilion for incurables, Almshouse, Blackwell's Island, and 38 extra copies of specifications for said pavilion. General Bookkeeper—800 postal cards addressed and 200 postal cards, proposals for bids. Purchasing Agent—45 copies specifications for leather, etc.; 45 copies specifications for ice, etc.; 90 copies specifications for dry goods; 500 requisition blanks. Secretary—500 document envelopes; 1,500 letter envelopes; 1,000 complimentary passes. Superintendent Outdoor Poor—1,000 document envelopes; 1,000 letter envelopes; 2,000 letter-heads; application for the blind, 500; affidavit, 200; examination, 1,000, and retention blanks, 4,000; various passes, 32,350; Morgue notices, 6,000; permission, 1,400; addressed, 2,081; and office cards, 1,000. District Prison—60 copies of rules and regulations on cards. City Prison—Weekly report 1,000; and statement of commitment blanks, 2,000. Gouverneur Hospital—Laundry, 500; history, 2,500; census return, 1,000; and 500 admission and discharge blanks; note-heads, 500. Harlem Hospital—Ambulance history, 2,000; death notices, 500; and admission and discharge blanks, 900; note-heads, 500. Fordham Hospital—500 admission and discharge blanks. Bellevue Hospital—Inventory, 1,000; diet, 4,000; census return, 4,000; history, 2,400; laundry, 6,500; ambulance history, 8,000; admission and discharge, 1,000; and return of property blanks, 1,000; letter-heads, 4,000; note-heads, 7,000; letter envelopes, 5,000; document envelopes, 2,000; notices to relative, 1,000; notices of cards, 345; Ward notices, 2,000; admission cards, 2,000; rules and regulations (on cards), 100; and temperature charts, 1,000. General Drug Department—Report blanks, 200; various labels, 49,900; shipping cards, 500; dispensary cards, 2,000; temperature charts, 10,915; strips, 2,400; and prescription blanks, 25,400.—Almshouse, Blackwell's Island—Extra diet, 2,000; death notice blanks, 500; hospital cards, 1,000; note-heads, 2,000; discharge passes, 2,000; letter envelopes, addressed, 500; and document envelopes, 200. Training School for Nurses, Blackwell's Island—Notification, 200; application blanks, 900; letter-heads, 500; note-heads, 4,000; letter envelopes, 500; document envelopes, 800; programmes, 250; and circulars of information, 200. Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Transfers, 2,000; admission, death and discharge, 200; monthly extra diet, 200; monthly statement, 200; daily report, 5,000; order and receipt, 1,000; daily requisition, 1,000; laundry, 4,000; nationality, 200; yearly census, 200; yearly nativity, 200; death notices, 1,000; notices, distribution of liquor, 1,000; report, 200; and census blanks, 1,000; letter envelopes, 2,000; document envelopes, 1,000; admission cards, 1,500; Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Temperature charts, 1,500; census, 1,000; transfer blanks, 2,500; note-heads, 2,000; and letter-heads, 750. Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Discharge, 250; provision order blanks, 300; and 305 copies of rules and regulations, composition and press work. Insane Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Note-heads, 5,500; letter-heads, 1,300; extra diet, 2,000; bread order, 1,000; census return, 500; laundry, 2,000; sick notice, 1,000; additional history, 1,000; telephone, 1,000; daily report, 1,000; and emigrant blanks, 100; ward passes, 2,000; boat passes, 500; admission cards, 1,000; notices concerning clothing, 500; and programmes, 250. Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Letter envelopes, 3,000; document envelopes, 1,000; laundry, 3,000; requisition, 500; and daily census return blanks, 1,000; coffin cards, 500; discharge passes, 2,500; bed cards, 2,000; postal cards, 550; description cards, 500. Insane Asylum, Ward's Island—Laundry, 4,000; property receipt, 100; weekly census report, 60; daily census, 500; application, 1,000; weekly extra diet, 60; labor report, 500; ward census, 5,000; ward labor report, 1,000; notification, 300; death notice, 500; daily requisition, 500; additional history, 1,000; transfer, 200; death and discharge, 400; receipt, 1,000; pay order, 500; sick notice, 500; and 1,000 ward requisition blanks; letter-heads, 6,500; note-heads, 2,000; letter envelopes, 8,000; document envelopes, 4,500; letter envelopes, addressed, 5,000; stable orders, 300; ward passes, 7,400; coffin cards, 200; admission cards, 2,400; ferry tickets, 2,000; shipping labels, addressed, 200; document envelopes, addressed, 1,200; and pass cards, 72. Randall's Island Hospital—Daily census return, 4,000; pay order, 1,000; history blanks, 1,300; passes, 2,000; admission cards, 1,700; letter envelopes, 1,500; Infants' Hospital, Randall's Island—Liquor and extra diet, 1,000; history, 500; census return, 1,500; laundry, 1,500; pay order blanks, 500; coffin cards, 1,000; note-heads, 1,000; admission cards, 4,100. Insane Asylum, Hart's Island—Document envelopes, 1,500; letter envelopes, 1,500; letter-heads, 1,500; note-heads, 1,000; 275 copies rules and regulations, press-work and binding; daily census return blanks, 1,000; coffin cards, 200. Asylum, Central Islip—Document envelopes, 800; letter envelopes, 700; letter-heads, 2,000; passes, 500; 170 copies rules and regulations, press-work and binding; programmes (on cards), 100.

Carpenter—New work—Made and fixed food elevator at Branch Asylum; placed 3 shelves in Main Kitchen; made 8 bed boards and 2 food trays for Hospital; fixed shelving and racks in Laundry; laid new flooring in three rooms at Branch Asylum; cased 150 feet of steam-pipe; made 14 water-closet seats; made and fixed 2 window frames at Bakery; put up new ceiling in dynamo room; made 20 floor boards for Laundry; new pilot-house on steam-launch "Mermaid"; new meat-box and table for Medical Staff's Kitchen; 1 stretcher for Hospital; erected shed and placed 6 doors on same in Main Kitchen yard; 1 step-ladder; fixed 52 window cords; placed new locks on Wards 1, 6, 12 and 18; repairs at Branch Cottage for Medical Superintendent and attended to general repairs throughout Main Asylum, Branch and Annex Buildings.

Painter—Painting shed in Main Kitchen yard; painting on steam-launch "Mermaid"; painting at Branch Cottage for Medical Superintendent and attended to general repairs to painting and glazing throughout Main Asylum, Branch and Annex.

Laundry—Number of pieces washed for patients, 231,109; number of pieces washed for Attendants, 11,457; number of pieces washed for Workhouse help, 1,024.

Bakery—Made 295,515 pounds white, 17,213 pounds Graham, 11,461 pounds gingerbread, and 8,477 pounds domestic cake.

Tailor—New work—140 jackets, 166 pairs pants, 128 vests. Repaired—291 jackets, 1,259 pairs pants, 419 vests. Cut and hemmed 25 spreads, 60 sheets and 80 pillow cases and repaired 207 Attendants' caps.

Shoe Shop—Made 8 pairs of new shoes and 43 pairs of slippers. Repaired 1,243 pairs of shoes and 8 pieces of harness.

Mat Shop—Made 24 brush, 43 rush, 56 coir, 117 spittoon and 4 rag mats; 4 waste-paper baskets, 12 letter baskets, 7 flower baskets, 3 cushions. Repaired 5 brush mats, 7 chairs and 2 elevator ropes.

Broom Shop—Made 298 brooms and 10 wooden frame baskets.

Plasterer—Plastering at Branch Cottage for Medical Superintendent and attended to general repairs to plastering and masonry throughout Main Asylum, Branch and Annex Buildings.

Tinsmith—Folded, laid and soldered 240 square feet roofing tin on shed in Main Kitchen yard; made 11 feet galvanized iron leaders, 5 short leader heads, 22 feet galvanized piping, 1 lamp and stand for shoe shop, 2 letter boxes, 43 feet speaking tube, 1 large galvanized iron oil drum with cover and tap; made sundry cans for Main Kitchen and attended to general repairs to tin ware and tin work throughout Main Asylum, Branch and Annex Buildings.

Out-door Improvement—Excavated and laid foundation of new ice-house; quarried large quantities of stone at rear of Main Building; sodded exercise yards and made walks leading to entrance; made walks to New Hospital Wing and Attendants' Home, and planted privet hedging; made flower beds and set out flowers, and laid macadamized road to One Hundred and Fifteenth street dock; planted vegetables on farm; breaking stones for repaired roads; graded walks around grounds; unloaded 9 barges of coal and carted same to Asylum and Homeopathic Hospital; removed swill from building and carted goods from dock and attended to other general repairs about stable, boiler-house, farm and grounds, etc.

Respectfully,

W. A. MACY, Medical Superintendent.

Respectfully forwarded,

A. E. MACDONALD, General Superintendent.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR INSANE,
HART'S ISLAND, June 30, 1891.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following report for the quarter ending this date.

Respectfully,

ANDREW EGAN, Medical Superintendent.

	MEN.	WOMEN.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
Remaining March 31, 1891.....	200	1,150	1,350	229	1,121
Died.....	4	29	33	6	27
Discharged.....	..	6	6	3	3
Transferred.....	..	3	3	..	3
Admitted.....	196	1,112	1,308	220	1,088
Remaining June 30, 1891.....	4	37	41	7	34
Remaining June 30, 1891.....	200	1,149	1,349	227	1,122

LABOR REPORT.

Of the male patients, 126 have been engaged in the following manner during the quarter: 21 in kitchen, 5 in laundry, 2 in carpenter shop, 2 in engine room, 1 in office, 20 in pavilions, 75 at unloading coal, removing freight from dock, gardening, road-making and repairing roads, grading, whitewashing, carrying water to pavilions and keeping grounds round the pavilions clean.

Of the female patients, 480 have been engaged as follows: 60 in laundry; as help for Medical Staff and Officers, 10; at out scrubbing, 8; housework, sewing and knitting, 402.

136,224 pieces have been laundered during the quarter.

34,616 articles of clothing and bedding have been repaired and 4,414 articles made. Following is an itemized statement:

ARTICLES.	FOR HART'S ISLAND ASYLUM.		FOR WARD'S ISLAND ASYLUM.
	Made.	Repaired.	Repaired.
Aprons.....	304	928	....
Blankets.....	....	255	....
Bed-ticks.....	209	1,963	....
Chemises.....	771	3,423	....
Drawers.....	125	2,819	170
Dresses.....	615	3,909	....
Hats.....	260	1,503	....
Hoods.....	....	826	....
Jackets.....	85	350	....
Night-gowns.....	332	1,758	....
Petticoats.....	161	2,614	....
Pillow-cases.....	142	1,290	....
Pillow-ticks.....	165	1,238	....
Spreads.....	9	601	....
Sheets.....	347	1,735	....
Shirts.....	116	1,367	1,327
Socks.....	30	1,279	700
Stockings.....	406	2,818	....
Trousers.....	111	357	....
Tablecloths.....	....	14	....
Towels.....	226	374	....
Total.....	4,414	32,419	2,197

The Engineer, Steam-fitter, Firemen and assistants have pumped water to pavilions; been pumping, steam-heating, in electric station; made connections to Worthington pump, drips of pumps, and inspirator in electric-light boiler-room; connected fire-pump with main steam-pipe; been putting new water-pipes, cisterns, new heaters, new pumps; put in new feed-pipe in boiler No. 4; been repairing steam-pipes, bath-tubs, steam-valves, Woodward pump, ball-cocks, water-tower, hot and cold water-tanks, water-closets, window screens, tin-cans; blowed down and sealed boilers; seamed trap in pavilion; moved steam pump and made connections to same, and been running electric light engine.

The Carpenter and assistants have made doors, closets, shelves and new seats for water-closets; put in new sashes in windows, made new window frames; eased doors and windows; built water-closet and platform for same; been rehanging doors in engine-room; put on new roof on extension to boiler-house, and hung windows in same; put up towel-rollers; repaired doors, bread-closets, sashes, and kept all furniture, etc., in repair.

The Painter and assistants have been painting and decorating the inside of Medical Superintendent's residence; have papered, painted and varnished Physicians' quarters; have painted the outside and roof of office, boiler-house, Pavilion 5 on hill; painted the hose carriages, small boat, roof of Pavilion C, and kept all paint in repair; put in window-lights where required.

The Stone Mason and assistants have built 4,816 cubic feet of sea-wall; extension to boiler-house, 22 x 14 x 14; high brick floor in boiler-house, 14 x 20; manhole for steam-pipes, 2 x 20 x 3.6; cutting two doors in rear of boilers and two doorways in front of boilers; turned arches to sustain roof of new boiler-room; been building cesspool in kitchen and brick-wall under carpenter-shop.

The Plasterer has kept all walls and ceilings of pavilions in repair.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE,
CENTRAL ISLIP, LONG ISLAND, July 3, 1891.

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President, etc.:

SIR—I have the honor to submit the following report of labor performed at this institution during the quarter ending June 30, 1891:

Bakery—Bread baked, 43,733 pounds; gingerbread, 1,560 pounds; domestic cake baked, 1,560 pounds.

Mason—Repaired: Furnaces of two small boilers in boiler-house.

Laundry—Washed: Sheets, 6,032; shirts, 4,895; pillow cases, 5,692; roller towels, 10,115; hand towels, 777; socks, 4,671; underwear, 3,696; coats, 1,747; pairs pants, 2,507; vests, 1,096; aprons, 1,395; caps, 856; tablecloths, 210; blankets, 379; spreads, 514; bed ticks, 68; cooks' jackets, 74.

Tailor—Repaired: underwear, 1,354; socks, 1,995; pea jackets, 250; overcoats, 52; mats, 18; Attendants' blouses, 16; bed ticks, 16; hats, 116; bed spreads, 34; shirts, 978; sheets, 310; aprons, 184; vests, 426; towels, 234; pillow cases, 184; caps, 296; coats, 495; pairs pants, 635. Made: Aprons, 9; pairs pants, 118; coats, 116; vests, 10.

Shoemaker—Repaired 179 pairs shoes, 47 pairs boots, 4 horse bridles.

Blacksmith—Made 1 frame for garden roller, 6 hooks, 1 hook for lowering windows, 11 rake-teeth, 1 link, 2 plow coulters, 4 wheelbarrow axles, 1 coulters clasp, 1 clevis, 2 wagon shaft bolts, 2 wearing irons for wagon, 1 staple, 6 braces for water-barrel, 4 bolts, 1 strainer for coffee urn, 1 reel for garden line, 1 eye bolt for harrow. Repaired 75 mattocks, 2 carts, 6 spades, 1 shovel, 1 fork, 1 boiler-house hoe, 5 bedsteads, 1 coffee boiler, 2 clevises, 1 plow-coulter, 1 water-pail, 1 cart shaft

bolt, 1 garden-roller, 2 rakes, 4 pumps, 1 kettle, 1 fire-poker, 1 cultivator axle, 1 weathervane. Miscellaneous work done: 27 horseshoes put on; 2 iron plates put on bandage box; 6 sets horseshoes "turned"; 10 tires reset on wheelbarrows; 1 wagon-jack ironed.

Tinsmith—Made 1 tin funnel for drug store, 2 water sprinklers, 7 hanging flower baskets; 1 1-pint strainer, 1 filter for water barrel. Repaired 1 pail, 13 pans, 15 watering cans, 2 lunch pails, 42 lanterns, 8 boilers, 25 kettles, 1 rack for ice box, 6 dust pans, 1 flour scoop, 2 molasses cups, 6 coffee pots, 1 frying pan, 11 pails, 4 letters for weather vane, 1 oil can, 3 dippers, 1 water-closet valve, 1 water sprinkler, 1 boiler cover, 1 ash-can cover.

Engineer—Repaired 39 radiators, 19 faucets, 16 unions, 12 hand pumps, 10 sinks, 54 valves, 11 water closets, 8 steam traps, 2 blow-off cocks, 3 hot-water boilers, pulsator pump and water pipe, 2 steam boilers, 1 small steam pump, return steam pipe, steam pipe at junction; brasses, valve-rod and stuffing-boxes to engine in laundry; machinery and belts, 2 hoods of large smoke stacks. Miscellaneous work done: 6 feet 3/4-inch water pipe connected to bath tub, 27 feet 2-inch and 12 feet 1 1/2-inch water pipe connected with main to Medical Home, 99 feet 4-inch pipe and two fire-hydrants connected with main to Medical Home, 773 feet 1 1/4-inch pipe laid for water extension to Medical Home, 8 street-hydrant cocks connected, 80 rubber washers made, 48 wire washers made, smoke-pipe and hot-air pipes cleaned out, fire hydrants and fire extinguishers examined once a month, tubes on steam boilers cleaned out every two weeks, 2,756,880 gallons of water pumped into tank, 2,441,251 gallons of sewerage water discharged. Average time of pumping water daily into tank, 1 hour 55 minutes.

Painter—Painted 29 bedsteads, fence between stable and carpenter shop, all the hydrants on the grounds, all the sewer covers on the grounds, all the ventilators on the grounds, all the pumps on the grounds, 2 pipes for engine-house; small room of pantry, Ward 6; strips on new shed, 2 settees, Watchman's house at gate. Miscellaneous work done: Stained small closet for Office, 10 lights of glass put in, stained paper and envelope rack for office, stained two small boxes, varnished 4 settees.

Farmer—Land plowed: 15 acres (replowed), 6 acres first time, 7 acres worked with cultivator. Crops planted: 8 acres potatoes, 1 acre corn for fodder, 3 1/2 acres corn, sweet, 2 acres corn, field, 1/2 acre beans, 1/2 acre carrots, 1/2 acre tomatoes, 1/2 acre turnips, 1/2 acre onions, 1 acre cabbage, 1/2 acre cucumbers, sunflower, broom corn, parsnips, beets and leeks, 4 acres spring rye. Prepared for sewing turnips: 2 3/4 acres. Farm produce: 86 pounds chicken killed, 75 pounds soap made, 255 pounds kale, 270 bunches radishes, 25 pounds turnips, 28 pounds cabbage, 45 pounds green peas, 1,950 pounds hay. Hauled from depot: 469 tons coal, 65 tons ice, 213 1/2 tons manure, 30 barrels cement, 5 barrels plaster, 46 barrels lime, 9,000 feet lumber, 180 bundles lath, 25 bundles shingles, usual daily freight and express matter. Miscellaneous work done: work continued on new road, grading continued about Medical Home, 10 acres of land stubbed, clearing land of roots continued.

Poultry—Number of eggs produced, 5,339.

Gardener—Produce of garden: 15 quarts strawberries, 150 quarts peas, 60 quarts beets, 50 quarts string beans, 260 quarts radishes, 255 quarts spinach, 294 quarts leeks, 60 quarts chervil, 54 quarts carrots, 10 quarts onions, 25 quarts parsley, 11 bundles rhubarb, 3,100 heads lettuce, 3 heads cauliflower, 17 bunches asparagus.

Carpenter—Made 1 garden roller, 2 "hawks" for Mason, 1 float for Mason, 1 straight edge for Mason, 4 boxes, 1 arch for Engineer, 1 pair clamps, 1 screen door (put on also), 2 "horses," 2 posts for halyards of flagstaff, 2 doors, 1 half door, 1 bench, 2 rests for cellar doors, 1 rake for covering seeds, 1 skid for store house, 18 tags for trees, 1 paper and envelope rack, 2 peels for bakery, 1 shoemaker's bench, 1 wagon "jack," 1 mallet, 2 seats made and put on water closets. Repaired 1 truck, 1 plow drag, 3 settees, 7 chairs, 21 wheelbarrows. Miscellaneous work done—1 lumber shed put up, 27 feet long, 10 feet wide; 1 bridge put across road at Medical Home, 250 feet garden wire fence taken down, posts taken out and replaced and fence put up again; "capping" and "base" ripped and put on 600 feet wire fence; 1 weather vane put up, 22 panes of glass put in, 2 looking glasses put up, 2 locks put on drawers, 1 drawer eased, 2 boxes put around sprinklers, 18 "smoke bells" put over lamps, 5 window stops put on, 17 doors eased and otherwise repaired, shelves put in 3 dark closets, 2 cleavers sharpened, 4 knives sharpened, 1 pair gardener's clippers sharpened, 1 mowing machine sharpened, 1 handle put in turf cutter, tops taken off 4 pump wells and replaced, 1 room partitioned off in laundry for use of shoemakers, 3 escutcheons put on doors, 1 hasp put on laundry box, 8 door sills put on, 1 gate put up at Fairbank's scales, 10 window fasteners put on, flooring put on 1 express wagon, 2 stoves and stovepipe taken down, 8 hat and coat hooks put up, 1 wagon floored, 1 cart floored, screen doors and windows put up in Administration Building, dining room and bed rooms of Medical Staff; fence put around hot bed and afterward removed; partition put up for feed in room of stable; frame work of water tank put up.

During the quarter work has been continued by the Carpenters, Masons and Painters toward the completion of the Medical Home.

The total number of days' labor performed is as follows:

Tailors.....	1,259	Out-door Improvement.....	9,898
Carpenters.....	230	Drivers and Stablemen.....	578
Painters.....	79	Filling beds.....	6
Masons.....	263	Coal.....	634
Gardeners.....	1,597	Ice.....	34
Bakers.....	365	Wards and Dining-rooms.....	4,481
Plumbers.....	10	Barbers.....	66
Clerks.....	90	Blacksmiths.....	68
Cooks.....	708	Tinsmiths.....	39
Waiters.....	351	Shoemakers.....	110
Nurses.....	182	Manure.....	52
Laundrymen.....	831	Coal and manure.....	36
Firemen.....	450		
Farmers.....	1,572	Total.....	23,989

Respectfully,

H. C. EVARTS, Physician-in-Charge.

BLACKWELL'S ISLAND BAKERY,
July 1, 1891.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I have the honor to make the following report of flour consumed and labor performed during the quarter ending June 30, 1891:

Flour made into bread.....	Barrels.
Distributed to institutions.....	4,275
	2,325
Total.....	6,600

Quantity of bread made and distributed to institutions:

	Pounds.
April.....	358,970
May.....	370,185
June.....	345,578
Total.....	1,074,733

Average number of men employed..... 54

Forwarded to General Storekeeper.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY ROMAND, Master Baker.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, August 12, 1891.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioner S. Howland Robbins.

Proposals.

Affidavit of publication of advertisement read and filed.

Opening adjourned to 12.30 P.M., awaiting receipt of approved forms of contract.

Recess to 11 A.M.

Reconvened at 11 A.M. Present—the same.

Trials.

Fireman 2d grade John Dempsey, Engine 32, for absence without leave. Fined one day's pay.

Fireman 3d grade Arthur C. Stockmar, Engine 1, for "neglect of duty." Adjourned.

Fireman 1st grade John A. Marx, Engine 26, for "violation of rules." Fined one day's pay.

Requisitions, etc.

Expenditures Authorized.

Carpentry, Fuel Depot 12.....	\$23 00
" " 2.....	173 00
" quarters Engine 33.....	137 00
" quarters Hook and Ladder 17.....	179 00
" " 22.....	483 00
Plumbing, Repair Shops.....	7 76
" quarters Engine 21.....	9 96
" temporary quarters Engine 18.....	23 71
Forage.....	950 00

Contract Ordered.

Repairs to floating engine—"William F. Havemeyer," estimated cost, \$3,843.

Filed.

Hospital and Training Stables and Hook and Ladder 9—Reporting death of horse, No. 388.
Finance Department—Statement of condition of appropriation.

Bills and Pay-rolls Audited.

Schedule No. 77 of 1891.

Ash & Buckbee.....	\$371 57	Mitchell, James.....	\$37 33
Burnett, W. D.....	387 00	Moonan, John.....	1,581 71
Clark, Isaac N., Jr.....	4 50	Morrisson, F. V.....	105 00
Consolidated Gas Co.....	846 37	N. Y. Cab Co., Limited.....	60 00
Farrington, Joseph T.....	34 00	Pearce, Fred'k.....	321 66
Feigel, M. & Bros.....	233 75	" ".....	96 21
Findley, William L.....	34 47	Powers, John, Manager.....	129 35
Gates, Church E. & Co.....	9 00	Rawlings & Guy.....	110 35
Goodrich & Woodcock, agents.....	45 00	Raynolds, C. T. & Co.....	18 90
Hopsass, John A.....	16 98	Rumsey & Co., Limited.....	725 00
Ketterer, Chas. P.....	300 00	Seery, Peter.....	66 25
" ".....	179 45	Smith, Clifford E.....	20 25
La France Fire Engine Co.....	315 00	Smith, J. Elliott.....	120 87
Le Brun, N. & Sons.....	647 50	Standard Underground Cable Co.....	10,543 50
Merrill, E. R.....	58 57	Westervelt, A. B. & W. T.....	387 50
Metropolitan Telephone and Tele- graph Co.....	50 60		\$17,857 66

Schedule 78 of 1891.

Extra Telegraph Force—Pay roll... \$712 60	Engine 51..... \$42 00
Extra Telegraph Force—Pay roll	57..... 42 00
No. 2..... 70 15	Repair Shops..... 1,149 82
Headquarters..... 63 00	Hospital Stables..... 101 50
Engine 43..... 42 00	
	\$2,223 07

Communications, etc.

Advancements Ordered 15th instant.

Firemen 3d grade to Firemen 2d grade:

Daniel D. Hickey.....	William E. Lawrence, Jr.....	Joseph G. McKiever.....
Thomas F. Coleman.....	John Fredenberg.....	George H. Winter.....
James H. Dunn.....	Thomas J. Bennett.....	Henry Schweikert.....
Joseph Lawler.....	Frederick J. Rothenhauser.....	Edward J. Garland.....
Michael Driscoll.....	Frederick Armbruster.....	William Muller.....
Joseph Quinn.....	John McLaughlin, No. 2.....	

Filed.

Chief Twelfth Battalion—Reporting rescue by Firemen 1st grade James J. Nimphius and William Feder, at fire on 5th instant, at No. 102 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street. Honorable mention.

Foreman Engine 43—Reporting rescue from drowning by Fireman 1st grade George Fraenznick, on 6th instant. Honorable mention.

Foreman Hook and Ladder 10—Reporting loss of coat badge by Fireman 3d grade Frederick J. Bluemert. Fined.

Deputy Superintendent of Buildings—Reporting death of Inspector Hugh C. Keyes.

J. J. Heisler—Commending Department for work at fire at No. 102 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street, and Fireman 1st grade John J. Nimphius for rescue.

Recess to 12.30 P. M.

Reconvened 12.30 P. M.—Present, the same.

As the forms of contract with approval of Counsel to the Corporation had not been received, it was ordered that the proposals received be returned unopened and new proposals be advertised for to be opened on the 26th instant.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending August 22, 1891:

Deposited in the Treasury.

To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$62,503 72
" " City Treasury.....	518,243 67
Total.....	\$580,747 39

Bonds and Stock Issued.

Three per cent. Bonds.....	\$50,000 00
Four per cent. bonds.....	375,000 00
Three per cent. Stock.....	25,000 00
Total.....	\$450,000 00

Warrants Registered for Payment.

The Mayoralty—	
Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$28 33

The Common Council—	
City Contingencies.....	500 00

The Finance Department—	
Cleaning Markets.....	\$697 07
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	47 00
Salaries—Finance Department.....	54 00
	798 07

Aqueduct Commissioners—	
Additional Water Fund.....	77,597 93

The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Law Department.....	\$825 00
For Procuring and Presenting Evidence as to the Value of Lands to be taken for Small Parks.....	270 00
	1,095 00

The Department of Public Works—	
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$4,292 43
Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....	67 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	9,685 38

Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	\$355 00
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	16 00
Croton Water Fund.....	14,984 51
Free Floating Baths.....	283 94
Fund for Viaduct from St. Nicholas Place to McComb's Dam Bridge.....	15,287 40
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	6,720 78
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	902 53
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	91 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	8,111 52
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	4,393 02
Repaving (chapter 346, Laws of 1889).....	567 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues (chapter 476, Laws of 1875).....	13,400 80
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	2,114 25
Retaining-walls in East Fifty-first Street and East Forty-second Street.....	24 00
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved, Maintenance of, and Sprinkling.....	381 00
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	2,755 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	3,016 74
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	20,756 40
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....	45 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	909 50
Water-meter Fund, No. 2.....	266 42
	\$109,426 62

The Department of Public Parks—	
American Museum of Natural History.....	\$255 00
Care and Maintenance of New Parks North of Harlem River....	1,001 07
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance. Improving the Plaza at One Hundred and Tenth Street and Fifth Avenue.....	96 45
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	17,931 46
Morningside Park, Construction of.....	5,307 48
Morningside Park, Improvement and Maintenance of.....	253 98
Mount Morris Park, Construction of.....	48 28
Music—Central Park and the City Parks.....	4,035 00
Rents—Department of Public Parks.....	1,625 00
Resurfacing the Roadway of Fifth Avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth Street.....	49 10
Riverside Park and Avenue, For the Improvement and Maintenance of.....	537 89
	32,305 34

The Department of Street Improvements—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—	
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	\$593 35
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards....	207 80
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	13,791 77
Surveying, Laying-out, Maps, Plans, etc.—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	73 00
	14,665 92

The Department of Public Charities and Correction—	
Public Charities and Correction.....	22,147 20

The Health Department—	
For Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	\$3,000 00
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	460 48
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	135 89
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island.....	2,795 92
Rents—Health Department.....	800 00
	7,192 29

The Department of Street Cleaning—	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	27,177 34

The Fire Department—	
Fire Department Fund.....	19,732 82

The Department of Docks—	
Dock Fund.....	77,792 56

The Board of Education—	
Public Instruction.....	\$17,297 64
School-house Fund.....	1,890 33
	19,187 77

The Board of Excise—	
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	691 75

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	\$4,500 64
Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	719 28
	5,219 92

The Sheriff—	
Incidental Expenses of the Sheriff's Office and the County Jail.....	30 46

The Bureau of Elections—	
Election Expenses.....	1,124 35

Miscellaneous Purposes—	
Advertising.....	\$3 60
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	31 00
Criminal Court-house Fund.....	108 00
Dog License Fund.....	56 00
For Allowance to the Aguilar Free Library Society, for Library Purposes.....	416 66
For Allowance to the General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen of the City of New York, for Apprentices' Library.....	625 00
For Allowance to the New York Free Circulating Library, for Library Purposes.....	1,250 00
Judgments.....	1,142 80
General Fund.....	1,315 12
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	539 63
Public Buildings, Twelfth Ward, Construction of.....	27 00
Rapid Transit Fund.....	40 00
Rents.....	500 00
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886—Awards.....	500 00
Tax Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	114 62
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	49 00
	6,718 43

Total..... \$423,432 10

CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Aug. 19	Union Trust Co.....	\$13,046 77	For return of amount overpaid for personal taxes for years 1889 and 1890.....	
" 20	Patrick J. Connelly....	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	E. S. Hobbs.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 22, 1891.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
11450	Aug. 5, 1891	Public Works (Bond)	John Kenay	C. H. Babcock	\$200 00	Receiving-basins on northwest and southwest corners of One Hundred and Tenth street and Pleasant avenue	
11451	" 1, "	Department of Docks	The Atlantic Dredging Co.	James Shewan, Augustin Walsh	1,500 00	Dredging for a new pier at foot of West Forty-eighth street, on North river	\$6,000 00
11452	" 1, "	"	"	James Shewan, Augustin Walsh	2,000 00	Dredging at sundry places on the East river	8,295 00
11453	" 4, "	Public Works (Special)	John R. Anderson	Timothy Mahoney	10 00	Flagging, etc., east side Amsterdam avenue, north of Seventy-second street	31 83
11454	" 5, "	"	Patrick Kearns	Patrick Sheehy, Thomas Regan	1,000 00	Sewer in Astor place, between Broadway and Lafayette place	1,708 00
11455	" 13, "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	Andrew Low	R. McLaughlin, John Cotter	1,000 00	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging the sidewalks on One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue	1,686 70
11456	" 13, "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	"	R. McLaughlin, John Cotter	5,000 00	Setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks and laying crosswalks on the north side of Boston avenue, from Jefferson street to Tremont avenue, and laying crosswalks across Boston avenue at the southerly side of Bristow street	9,027 75
11457	" 13, "	Board of Education	E. Rutzler	Frank Thompson, John Simmons	5,000 00	Heating apparatus, new school building, at corner Ninety-third street and Amsterdam avenue, in Twelfth Ward	13,996 00
11458	" 14, "	Police Department	George W. Winant	Francis L. Leland, Joseph F. Baker	5,000 00	Furnishing and delivering 1,750 tons of egg coal and 250 tons of nut coal	8,100 00
11459	July 30, "	Fire Department	Charles F. Davies, Hopkin B. Davies and Thomas J. Davies, composing the firm of Davies Bros.	Rudolph Prellwitz, John Mullane	700 00	Furnishing and delivering 100 tons of cannel coal	1,274 00

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme.	Henry Zeltner	\$3,225 00	Summons and complaint. For salary as Assistant Inspector in Department of Street Cleaning from December 12, 1887, to July 12, 1891	A. B. Jaworower.
"	In matter of New Aqueduct—Reservoir D.		Notice of presentation of report of Commissioners of Appraisal for confirmation on September 19, 1891	W. H. Clark, Corporation Counsel.
"	John Boyle, Louis Zimmermann	240 00, 660 00	Transcripts of judgments, as follows:	E. W. Crittenden.
"	Moses W. Staples vs. The Mayor, etc., William Kelly and others		Notice of pendency of action	F. B. Chedsey.
Superior.	Daniel R. Kendall and others	450 00	Summons and complaint. For amount awarded for Parcels 236 and 242 in matter of acquiring water rights in town of Mount Pleasant	A. B. Johnson.
Supreme.	Ernst Schon and another, Joseph Weber, George Stein, Mary Slattery and another, Ellen J. Nevins, Francis O'Callaghan, R. B. Elliott, John Frischka, Isaac Heller, Mary Wiggers, Philip J. Kelly, Catharine Nigger-schmidt, Robert P. Gray, John Riegelman, Justine Eckemfelder, John Hatari, George Decker, Rosanna Nevins, Henry Eberhardt, Margaret Pleiffer, Gustavus Robitzek and others	162 05, 162 72, 193 80, 168 93, 169 93, 203 44, 214 06, 330 60, 331 42, 363 23, 432 84, 433 94, 433 94, 471 92, 490 53, 490 53, 504 75, 516 10, 523 43, 528 96, 809 89	Certified copies orders reducing assessment for Clinton street, regulating, etc., from St. Ann's to Union avenue, as follows:	T. H. Baldwin.
Com. Pleas.	Maria W. Dumar vs. The Mayor, etc., John Cahill and others	704 40	Notice of pendency of action and summons and complaint. To foreclose lien for materials furnished on contract for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Sixth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive	J. Kearney.

Opening of Proposals.

August 20. The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the Department of Docks for preparing for and extending and widening the pier and widening the approach at the foot of West Twenty-first street, and for repairing the existing crib-bulkhead thereat; for repairing the crib-bulkhead at foot of East Forty-ninth street, and for dredging at timber basin south of West Seventy-fifth street.

Approval of Sureties.

The Deputy Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

- August 19. For regulating, grading, paving, curbing, etc., in Brook avenue, from a line 487 feet south of the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.
William Kelly, No. 317 West Fifty-first street, Principal.
John McQuade, No. 1328 Lexington avenue, } Sureties.
Brian McKenny, 1071 Madison avenue, }
- August 20. For regulating, grading, etc., Hampden street, from Sedgwick to Jerome avenue.
W. F. Murray, No. 648 St. Ann's avenue, Principal.
Adolph G. Hupfel, One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Third avenue, } Sureties.
William Ebling, No. 828 Cauldwell avenue, }
- August 20. For repairing Clinton Market.
Richard H. Casey, No. 224 West Forty-ninth street, Principal.
Thomas Daly, No. 104 East Thirty-first street, } Sureties.
William Minnick, No. 390 Fourth avenue, }
- August 20. For preparing for and building a new wooden pier and approach at the foot of West Forty-eighth street.
E. T. Cronin, No. 138 Luqueer street, Brooklyn, Principal.
Charles A. Brown, No. 129 Broad street, } Sureties.
William Kelly, No. 317 West Fifty-first street, }

August 21. For regulating, grading, etc., Chisholm street, from Jennings street to Stebbins avenue.
W. J. Murray, No. 648 St. Ann's avenue, Principal.
William Ebling, No. 828 Cauldwell avenue, } Sureties.
Bernard C. Murray, No. 648 St. Ann's avenue, }

August 21. For regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Courtlandt to Morris avenue.
Charles W. Collins, No. 257 Alexander avenue, Principal.
D. W. Moran, No. 219 East Seventy-first street, } Sureties.
Charles Jones, No. 257 Alexander avenue, }

August 21. For regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Franklin avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.
M. J. Leahy, Denman place, Principal.
Anton Rinschler, No. 841 East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, } Sureties.
Frederick Folz, No. 1395 Washington avenue, }

August 21. For regulating, grading, etc., and building culverts in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Rider and Railroad avenues.
Charles W. Collins, No. 257 Alexander avenue, Principal.
Joseph W. McGowan, No. 480 East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, } Sureties.
Charles Jones, No. 257 Alexander avenue, }

August 21. For furnishing cast-iron water-pipes, branch pipes and special castings.
John Fox, No. 10 East Fiftieth street, Principal.
Daniel F. Cooney, No. 88 Washington street, } Sureties.
Michael Ryan, No. 347 Bowery, }

Return of Proposals.

August 19. Proposal of W. F. Murray, for regulating, etc., Hampden street, returned to the Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for action on the proposed substitution of A. G. Hupfel and W. Ebling, as sureties thereon in the place of P. V. Murray and B. C. Murray, the original sureties.

August 19. Proposal of E. T. Cronin, for building a new pier at foot of West Forty-eighth street, returned to the Department of Docks for action on the proposed substitution of Charles A. Brown as a surety thereon in the place of John Fleming, one of the original sureties.

August 20. Proposal of R. H. Casey, for repairing Clinton Market, returned to the Department of Public Works for action on the proposed substitution of Thomas Daly as a surety thereon in place of E. Murphy, one of the original sureties.

August 20. Proposal of C. W. Collins, for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, returned to the Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for action on the proposed substitution of Joseph W. McGowan as a surety thereon in the place of D. W. Moran, one of the original sureties.

August 20. Proposal of C. W. Collins, for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, returned to the Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for action on the proposed substitution of Joseph W. McGowan as a surety thereon in the place of A. McOwen, one of the original sureties.

August 21. Proposal of M. J. Leahy, for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, returned to the Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for action on the proposed substitution of Anton Rinschler as a surety thereon in the place of William Birss, one of the original sureties.

August 21. Proposal of T. J. Reilly, for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, returned to Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for action on the proposed substitution of Patrick Reilly as a surety thereon in the place of P. H. Hargrove, one of the original sureties.

August 21. Proposal of John Gillies, for building a pier at foot of West Twenty-first street, returned to the Department of Docks for action on the proposed substitution of Theo. F. Booth as a surety thereon in the place of C. A. Brown, one of the original sureties.

August 21. Proposals of W. J. Ford, for flagging One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Thirty-eighth street and Rivington street, returned to the Department of Public Works for action on the proposed substitution of Cyrus Burhaus as a surety thereon in place of J. J. Donovan one of the original sureties.

August 21. Proposal of F. Bohmer, Jr., for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, returned to the Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for action on the proposed substitution of John Riegelman as a surety thereon in the place of F. Lutz, one of the original sureties.

RICH. A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 1, 1889.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, March 4, 1890.
Pursuant to section 1, subdivision 3 of chapter 10, Laws of 1888, I hereby designate the "New Yorker Zeitung" and "New York Daily News," of the daily papers printed in the City of New York as the newspapers in which the advertisements of the public notice of the time and place of auction sales in the City of New York shall be published.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

Pursuant to section 9 of chapter 339, Laws of 1883, I hereby designate the "Daily News" and the "New York Morning Journal," two of the daily papers printed in the City of New York, in which notice of each sale of unredeemed pawns or pledges by public auction in said city, by pawnbrokers, shall be published for at least six days previous thereto, until otherwise ordered.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. **WM. McM. SPEER**, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.
FRANK FOX, Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL T. DALY, **CHARLES G. F. WAHLE**.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES C. DUANE, President; **JOHN C. SHEEHAN**, Secretary; **A. FTELEY**, Chief Engineer; **J. C. LULLEY**, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; **PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS**, Secretary.
Address EDWARD P. BARKER, Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL C. PADDEN, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner; **MAURICE F. HOLAHAN**, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH RILEY, Register.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

Office of Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. H. BURKE, Water Purveyor.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN B. SHEA, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL T. CUMMINGS, Superintendent.

Keeper of City Hall.

MARTIN J. KRESE, City Hall.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

No. 2622 Third avenue, northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
LOUIS J. HEINTZ, Commissioner; **JOHN H. J. RONNER**, Deputy Commissioner; **WM. H. TEN EVCK**, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; **RICHARD A. STORRS**, Deputy Comptroller; **D. LOWBER SMITH**, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Second Auditor.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.
 Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
OSBORNE MACDANIEL, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.
 No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.
 Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES DALY, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.
 No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. McLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; **ALFRED VREDENBURGH**, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
 No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation
 Staats Zeitung Building, third and fourth floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
WILLIAM H. CLARK, Counsel to the Corporation.
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES E. LYDECKER, Public Administrator.

Office of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN G. H. MEYERS, Attorney.
MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY, Clerk.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LOUIS HANNEMAN, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES F. MACLEAN, President; **WILLIAM H. KIPP**, Chief Clerk; **T. F. RODENBOUGH**, Chief of Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY H. PORTER, President; **GEORGE F. BRITTON**, Secretary.

Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
 Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. **CHARLES BENN**, General Bookkeeper.
Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. **WILLIAM BLAKE**, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

Washington Building, No. 1 Broadway.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 12 M.

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
HENRY D. PURROY, President; **CARL JUSSEN**, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.
 Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES G. WILSON, President; **EMMONS CLARK**, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
ALBERT GALLUP, President; **CHARLES DE F. BURNS**, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.
EDWIN A. POST, President; **AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY**, Secretary.
 Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
EDWARD P. BARKER, President; **FLOYD T. SMITH**, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HANS S. BEATTIE, Commissioner; **WILLIAM DALTON**, Deputy Commissioner; **GILBERT O. F. NICOLL**, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Cooper Union, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES THOMSON, Chairman of the Supervisory Board
LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

THE MAYOR, Chairman; **E. P. BARKER**, Secretary.
CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.
 Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; **WM. H. JASPER**, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALEXANDER MEAKIM, President; **JAMES F. BISHOP**, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. GORMAN, Sheriff; **JOHN B. SEXTON**, Under Sheriff.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

AUCTION SALE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at Public Auction, Thursday, August 27, 1891, a quantity of fruit, consisting of the Apples and other fruit on Van Cortlandt Park.
 The sale will take place at the Van Cortlandt Mansion in Van Cortlandt Park at two o'clock P. M.
 The fruit will be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale.
 Purchasers will be required to remove the fruit as it ripens and to be responsible for it from time of sale.
 For further information apply at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.
 By order of the Department of Public Parks.
CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER OF JURORS IN REGARD TO CLAIMS FOR EXEMPTION FROM JURY DUTY.

ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
 No. 280 BROADWAY, THIRD FLOOR,
 NEW YORK, June 1, 1891.
CLAIMS FOR EXEMPTION FROM JURY duty will be heard by me daily at my office, from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.

Those entitled to exemption are: Clergymen, lawyers, physicians, surgeons, surgeon-dentists, professors or teachers in a college, academy or public school, editors, editorial writers or reporters of daily newspapers, licensed pharmacists or pharmacists, actually engaged in their respective professions and not following any other calling; militiamen, policemen, and firemen; election officers, jury non-residents, and city employees, and United States employees; officers of vessels making regular trips; licensed pilots, actually following that calling; superintendents, conductors and engineers of a railroad company other than a street railroad company; telegraph operators actually doing duty as such; Grand, Sheriff's, and Civil Court jurors; stationary engineers; and persons physically incapable of performing jury duty by reason of severe sickness, deafness, or other physical disorder.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible), and at this office only, under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc. etc. No attention paid to letters.

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States jurors, are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement and every case will be fully prosecuted.

BERNARD F. MARTIN,
 Commissioner of Jurors.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
 NEW YORK, August 20, 1891.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1891, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, under the supervision of the Superintendent of Incumbrances, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, on the premises, the following, viz.:

Within the lines of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Street, between the Boulevard and Riverside Drive.

One frame building about 40 x 48 feet, or so much thereof as lies within the lines of the street.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the building or parts thereof, entirely out of the line of the street on or before the 10th day of September, 1891, otherwise he will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, or the building to be resold.

THOS. F. GILROY,
 Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
 ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
 NEW YORK, August 20, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Tuesday, September 1, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FLAGGING EIGHT FEET WIDE AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON DELANCEY STREET, from Mangin to East street.

No. 2. FOR FLAGGING EIGHT FEET WIDE AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON WEST SIDE OF TOMPKINS STREET, from Broome to Delancey street.

No. 3. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE OF HESTER STREET, from Suffolk to Clinton street.

No. 4. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE OF EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 5. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON EAST SIDE OF FIFTH AVENUE, from Eighty-sixth to Ninety-first street.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING F STREET, from northerly line of Dyckman street to Bolton road, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING DYCKMAN STREET, from Hudson river to Exterior street, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he

would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 5, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOS. F. GILROY,
 Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
 No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
 NEW YORK, August 14, 1891.

TO OWNERS OF LANDS ORIGINALLY ACQUIRED BY WATER GRANTS.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE RECENT act of the Legislature (chapter 449, Laws of 1889), which provides that whenever any streets or avenues in the city, described in any grant of land under water, from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty containing covenants requiring the grantees and their successors to pave, repave, keep in repair or maintain such streets, shall be in need of repairs, pavement or repavement the Common Council may, by ordinance, require the same to be paved, repaved or repaired, and the expense thereof to be assessed on the property benefited; and whenever the owner of a lot so assessed shall have paid the assessment levied for such paving, repaving or repairing, such payment shall release and discharge such owner from any and every covenant and obligation as to paving, repaving and repairing, contained in the water grant under which the premises are held, and no further assessment shall be imposed on such lot for paving, repaving or repairing such street or avenue, unless it shall be petitioned for by a majority of the owners of the property (who shall also be the owners of a majority of the property in frontage) on the line of the proposed improvement.

The act further provides that the owner of any such lot may notify the Commissioner of Public Works, in writing, specifying the ward number and street number of the lot that he desires, for himself, his heirs and assigns, to be released from the obligation of such covenants and elects and agrees that said lot shall be thereafter liable to be assessed as above provided, and thereupon the owner of such lot, his heirs and assigns shall thenceforth be relieved from any obligation to pave, repair, uphold or maintain said street, and the lot in respect of which such notice was given shall be liable to assessment accordingly.

The Commissioner of Public Works desires to give the following explanation of the operation of this act: When notice, as above described, is given to the Commissioner of Public Works, the owner of the lot or lots therein described, and his heirs and assigns, are forever released from all obligation under the grant in respect to paving, repaving or repairing the street in front of or adjacent to said lot or lots, except one assessment for such paving, repaving or repairs, as the Common Council may, by ordinance direct to be made thereafter.

No street or avenue within the limits of such grants can be paved, repaved or repaired until said work is authorized by ordinance of the Common Council, and when the owners of such lots desire their streets to be paved, repaved or repaired, they should state their desire and make their application to the Board of Aldermen and not to the Commissioner of Public Works, who has no authority in the matter until directed by ordinance of the Common Council to proceed with the pavement, repavement or repairs.

THOS. F. GILROY,
 Commissioner of Public Works.

COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

OFFICE OF
 COMMISSIONER OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS
 OF THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
 NEW YORK, August 10, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, at his office, No. 2622 Third avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-first street, until 3 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, August 27, 1891, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened.

No. 1. FOR SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS ON BROOK AVENUE, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Third avenue, and between Third avenue and Brook avenue, in the public place at their intersection.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURB-STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, AND BUILDING AND ADJUSTING RECEIVING-BASIN, IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Third avenue to Franklin avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING THE ROADWAY OF MORRIS AVENUE, from One Hundred and Forty-eighth street to One Hundred and Fifty-second street, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT,

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING THE ROADWAY OF MORRIS AVENUE, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREET TO ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT AND LAYING CROSSWALKS AT THE TERMINATING STREETS WHERE NOT ALREADY DONE.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate, or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards reserves the right to reject all bids received for any particular work if he deems it for the best interests of the City.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any other information desired, can be obtained at this office.

LOUIS J. HEINTZ,
Commissioner of Street Improvements,
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR A WATER-CLOSET TOWER AT CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Friday, September 4, 1891. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Water-Closet Tower—Charity Hospital," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **TWO THOUSAND FIVE (\$2,500) DOLLARS.**

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be

accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimates, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and provide such proper security, as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, August 22, 1891.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR STEAM HEATING A PAVILION FOR THE INCURABLES, ALMS-HOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, N. Y.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. Friday, September 4, 1891. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Steam Heating Pavilion for Incurables, B. I.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) DOLLARS.**

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money

to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and provide such proper security, as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department; and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, August 22, 1891.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Commissioners, Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING PAVILION D, RAND-ALL'S ISLAND, N. Y. CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Friday, September 4, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Repairs to Pavilion D," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt, or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) DOLLARS.**

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and provide such proper security, as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, August 22, 1891.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A PAVILION FOR ALCOHOLIC PATIENTS AT BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, N. Y. CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Friday, September 4, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Pavilion for Alcoholic Patients, Bellevue Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS.**

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.
Dated New York, August 22, 1891.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED
IN THE ERECTION OF ADDITION
TO HARLEM HOSPITAL.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE
aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until Friday, September 4, 1891, until 10 A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Addition to Harlem Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **FIVE HUNDRED (\$500) DOLLARS.**

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and provide such proper security, as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, August 22, 1891.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED
FOR REPAIRING ROOMS, PLUMBING,
ETC., BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE
aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Friday, August 28, 1891.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairing Rooms, etc., Bellevue," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) DOLLARS.**

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and provide such proper security, as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department; and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, August 15, 1891.
HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Commissioners Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, August 25, 1891.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF
the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of
strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the
public institutions of the City of New York," the Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Twenty-fifth street, East river—Unknown woman, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; body in an advanced state of decomposition; about six months in water. Had on black Astrachan jacket, black jersey, black alpaca skirt, black cotton stockings, buttoned gaiters.

Unknown man from Pier 7, East river, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair, mixed with gray; brown eyes. Had on blue flannel blouse and vest, with brass buttons, black and gray plaid pants, red, white and blue cotton shirt, gaiters.

Unknown man from foot of Christopher street, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair and chin beard. Had on black coat and vest, cardigan jacket, black ribbed woolen shirt, woolen undershirt and drawers.

Unknown man from Pier 26, East river, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; brown hair and moustache. Had on black coat, brown jean pants, white cotton shirt with black stripes, gray undershirt and drawers, brown and white cotton socks, brogan shoes.

Unknown man from Gouverneur Hospital, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair and moustache; brown eyes. No clothing.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Thomas Kelly, aged 42 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black coat, gray vest, brown striped pants, brogan shoes, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 395.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING
FOR AND EXTENDING PIERS, OLD 57
AND 58, WITH APPURTENANCES, NEAR
THE FOOT OF BLOOMFIELD STREET,
NORTH RIVER, AND FOR REPAIRING THE
EXISTING CRIB-BULKHEAD AT PIER,
OLD 58.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND
extending Piers, old 57 and 58, with appurtenances, near the foot of Bloomfield street, North river, and for preparing and repairing the crib-bulkhead at Pier, old 58, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

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at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

CLASS I.

(a) REPAIRS TO CRIB-BULKHEAD, PIER, OLD 58, N. R.

1. New Cribwork complete, including all Timbers and Ironwork, Backing-logs, Earth and Stone Filling, Fenders, Mooring-posts, etc., measured to the under side of the deck and from front of facing-timber to inner end of crib, about 6,000 cubic feet.
2. White Oak Fender-piles, about 60 feet long..... 2
3. Labor and Materials for Relaying Old Pavement for about..... 27 square yards.
4. Labor and Materials for laying New Pavement, about..... 10 "
5. Labor of excavating Old Cribwork and disposal of Material, about 230 cubic yards.
6. Labor and Material for Back-filling.
7. Labor of Framing and Carpentry, including all moving of Timber, Jointing, Planing, Bolting, Spiking, etc., as set forth in the specifications.

(b) EXTENSION OF PIER, OLD 58, N. R.

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12".....	26,672
" " 10" x 12".....	533
" " 10" x 10".....	150
" " 8" x 16".....	96
" " 8" x 15".....	388
" " 8" x 10".....	60
" " 8" x 8".....	3,526
" " 7" x 14".....	333
" " 7" x 12".....	341
" " 6" x 12".....	1,224
" " 5" x 12".....	785
" " 5" x 10".....	17,152
" " 5" x 9".....	149
" " 4" x 10".....	10,595
" " 2" x 4".....	816
Total.....	62,820

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
2. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10".....	33,906
" " 4" x 5".....	67
Total.....	33,973

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12".....	2,880

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber in items 1, 2 and 3, are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles for Pier..... 75
(It is expected that these piles will have to be about 75 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
5. White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 feet long.... 8
6. $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 26", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 24", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 22", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 20", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 18", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 16", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 14", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 12", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 10", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 8", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 6", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 4", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 3", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 2", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 1", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2}$ " square, and $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 8" round, Wrought-iron Spike-pointed Dock Spikes, and 40d Nails, about..... 7,159 pounds.
7. Boiler-plate Armatures and Wrought-iron Strap-bolts and Washers about..... 4,005 "
8. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", $1\frac{1}{4}$ " and 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, about..... 2,895 "
9. Cast-iron Washers for $1\frac{1}{2}$ " and 1" Screw-bolts, about..... 1,120 "
10. Cast-iron Mooring-posts, about..... 5,400 "
11. Materials for Painting and Oiling or Tarring.
12. Labor of every description for extending Pier.

CLASS II.

EXTENSION OF PIER, OLD 57, N. R.

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12".....	23,127
" " 10" x 12".....	535
" " 10" x 10".....	158
" " 8" x 16".....	101
" " 8" x 15".....	385
" " 8" x 10".....	60
" " 8" x 8".....	3,933
" " 7" x 14".....	331
" " 7" x 12".....	360
" " 6" x 12".....	1,080
" " 5" x 12".....	978
" " 5" x 10".....	6,061
" " 4" x 10".....	12,825
" " 2" x 4".....	536
Total.....	50,470

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
2. Spruce Timber, 4" x 10".....	34,556
" " 4" x 5".....	67
Total.....	34,623

Feet, B. M.,
measured in
the work.

3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12"..... 3,264
- NOTE.—The above quantities of timber, in items 1, 2 and 3 are inclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., but are exclusive of waste.
4. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles for Pier..... 87
(It is expected that these piles will have to be about 75 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
5. White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 feet long.... 8
6. $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 26", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 24", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 22", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 20", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 18", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 16", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 14", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 12", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 10", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 8", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 6", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 4", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 3", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 2", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x $\frac{1}{2}$ " square, and $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 8" round, Wrought-iron Spike-pointed Dock-spikes, and 40d Nails, about..... 6,708 pounds.
7. Boiler-plate Armatures and Wrought-iron Strap-bolts and Washers, about..... 4,167 "
8. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", $1\frac{1}{4}$ " and 1" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts and Nuts, about..... 2,988 "
9. Cast-iron Washers for $1\frac{1}{2}$ " and 1" Screw-bolts, about..... 1,162 "
10. Cast-iron Mooring-posts, about..... 5,400 "
11. Materials for Painting and Oiling or Tarring.
12. Labor of every description for extending Pier.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received.

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for each class of the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the price therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, or of a notification of the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of February, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material to be removed under the contract will be relinquished to the Contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in each class, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices the bids will be tested. These prices are to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the work comprised in both classes, and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing each class of the work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on, until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state that fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent in writing of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done, in each class, by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES IS RESERVED, IF DEEMED FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

EDWIN A. POST,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, August 25, 1891.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 394.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND REPAIRING THE CRIB-BULK-HEAD BETWEEN PIERS 47 AND 48, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE CRIB-BULK-HEAD BETWEEN PIERS 47 AND 48, EAST RIVER, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Pier "A," foot of Battery park, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

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at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

REPAIRS TO BULKHEAD.

1. Excavating Old Cribwork, about 325 cubic yards.
2. Yellow Pine Timber, 5" Plank, 5,833 feet, B. M., measured in the work.
3. White or Yellow Pine Mooring-posts, about 13 feet long 20 cubic yards.
4. Crib-stone, about 900 pounds.
5. Wrought-iron Dock-spikes, about 900 pounds.
6. Labor and Materials for laying Pavement, about 200 square yards.
7. Labor for Back-filling, about 130 cubic yards.
8. Labor of every description.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

(1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

(2.) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work contracted for to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The bidder to whom an award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance in the sum of Three Hundred and Sixty Dollars.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of December, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time or times fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the crib-bulkhead to be repaired under the contract will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing the work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on, until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done, by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the

City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES IS RESERVED, IF DEEMED FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

EDWIN A. POST,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, August 25, 1891.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 393.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND LAYING PAVEMENT AND PLANK ROADWAYS ON NEW-MADE LAND ON AND IN REAR OF THE CRIBWORK BULKHEAD FROM EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET TO NORTH OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, ON THE HARLEM RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND LAYING pavement and plank roadways on new-made land on and in rear of the cribwork bulkhead, from East One Hundred and Thirty-third street to north of East One Hundred and Fortieth street, on the Harlem river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery park, North river, in the City of New York, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1891,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 6" x 12".....	11,400
" " " " 6" x 6".....	4,200
" Plank, 5" x 10".....	5,300
" " " " 5".....	30,200
Total	\$2,100

NOTE.—The above quantities are exclusive of waste. NOTE.—What is known in the New York market as "merchantable" sawed yellow pine timber will be received under this contract, subject to the provisions of the specifications hereinafter contained.

2. $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 15", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 10" and $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 9" square Wrought-iron Dock Spikes, about 2,970 pounds.
3. Sand or Cow Bay Gravel, about 1,300 cubic yards.
4. Paving to be laid, about 3,850 square yards.

NOTE.—The paving-blocks therefor are to be furnished by the contractor.

5. Labor of all kinds, including removal of existing earth, etc., all grading, spreading, leveling, ramming of earth, paving sand or gravel, and paving-blocks, moving of paving-blocks, timber, etc., framing and carpentry, etc., as set forth in the specifications, and shown on plan herein referred to.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

(1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

(2.) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plan therein referred to. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of November, 1891, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing the work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled upon its completion and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES IS RESERVED, IF DEEMED FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

EDWIN A. POST,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
JAMES J. PHELAN,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, August 19, 1891.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, July 17, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING FIFTY DUMPING CARTS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING Fifty Dumping Carts will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, Stewart Building, until 2:30 o'clock P. M., of the 28th day of August, 1891, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioner.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Department of Street Cleaning, indorsed "Estimate for Building Fifty Dumping Carts," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

1. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination as to the accuracy of the estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Street Cleaning, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation, beyond the

amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay from any cause in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which said Corporation or the Department of Street Cleaning may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the Comptroller.

No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

The Commissioner of Street Cleaning reserves the right to reject all bids received for any particular work, if he deems it for the best interest of the City. Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained by application to the Chief Clerk, at the offices of the Department, No. 280 Broadway, New York.

H. S. BEATTIE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

NOTICE.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, in the Stewart Building.

HANS S. BEATTIE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

NEW AQUEDUCT, RESERVOIR D.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 and chapter 196 of the Laws of 1887, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under the acts.

To all persons interested in this proceeding:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE REPORT of the above-mentioned Commissioners of Appraisal, appointed herein on July 19, 1890, which report was filed in the office of the Clerk of Westchester County, at the Court-house in the Village of White Plains, in said County, on July 27, 1891, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of Putnam County, at his office in the Village of Carmel, in said County, on July 27, 1891, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house, in the City of Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on September 19, 1891, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated New York, August 20, 1891.
WILLIAM H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
August 25, 1891.

EAST RIVER PARK.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list in the matter of acquiring title to certain lands in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, bounded on the west by Avenue B, on the north and east by the Harlem and East rivers, and on the south by East Eighty-sixth street, for a public park, as laid out under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, that said assessment list was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated May 27, 1891, and entered in the County Clerk's Office, June 12, 1891, and that, unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before the expiration of sixty days from the date of this notice, that is to say, on or before the 26th day of October, 1891, interest will be charged thereon at the rate of six per cent. per annum, from the date of confirmation of said assessment, to wit: the 27th day of May, 1891, as provided by section 4 of said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M. All payments made thereon, on or before October 26, 1891, will be exempt from interest as above stated, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest on the amount of the assessment at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the said date of confirmation thereof to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
August 17, 1891.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz.:

Sewer in Bridge street, between Broad and Whitehall streets.

Alteration and improvement to sewer in Boulevard, east side, at One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

Sewers in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Ninth streets.

Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets.

Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets.

Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-eighth and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets.

Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets.

Sewer in First avenue, between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth streets.

Alteration and improvement to sewers in Fourth (Park) avenue, west side, between Seventy-first and Seventy-third streets, and in Seventy-second street, between Park and Madison avenues.

Sewer in Thirteenth avenue, east side, between Little West Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, and in Thirteenth street, between Tenth and Thirteenth avenues.

Extension of sewer in Sixty-third street, between Amsterdam and Columbus avenues.

Sewer in Seventy-seventh street, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

Extension of sewer in Eighty-ninth street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue, with curve into Tenth avenue (west side).

Sewer in Ninety-ninth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

Sewer in Ninety-ninth street, between Boulevard and West End avenue.

Sewer in One Hundred and Second street, between Boulevard and West End avenue.

Sewer in One Hundred and Fourth street, between Harlem river and First avenue.

Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Rider and Third avenues, with a branch in Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets.

Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Willis and Brook avenues.

Sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between Eighth and Bradhurst avenues.

Receiving-basin on northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-first street and Amsterdam avenue.

Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Fifth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the Harlem river.

Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Rider to Morris avenue.

Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-first street, from North Third to Morris avenue.

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Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from North Third to Morris avenue.

Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from North Third to Morris avenue.

Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from North Third to Morris avenue.

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Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and One Thousand street, from North Third to Morris avenue.

Repaving Mangin street, from Grand to Houston streets (excepting block between Stanton and Rivington streets), so far as the same is within the limits of grants of lands under water, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Repaving Washington street, from Clarkston to Spring street (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water), with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving Sylvan place, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street, with granite blocks.

Paving Boston avenue, from Third avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, with trap blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving Madison avenue, from Ninety-fourth to One Hundred and Third street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Eighth to One Hundred and Tenth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving Rider avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, with trap blocks.

Paving the Southern Boulevard, from the easterly crosswalk of Third avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Willis avenue, with trap blocks.

Paving Westchester avenue, from the westerly crosswalk of Brook avenue to the westerly crosswalk of Trinity avenue, with granite blocks.

Paving First avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan street, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving Sixty-ninth street, from West End avenue to the line of the Hudson River Railroad, with granite blocks.

Paving Seventy-fifth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with asphalt.

Paving Seventy-eighth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, with granite blocks.

Paving Eighty-fourth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving Eighty-fifth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, with asphalt.

Paving Eighty-seventh street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, with asphalt.

Paving Eighty-seventh street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with asphalt block pavement and laying crosswalks.

Paving Eighty-eighth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue, with asphalt.

Paving Eighty-eighth street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive, with granite blocks.

Paving Eighty-ninth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving Ninety-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, with asphalt.

Paving Ninety-sixth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, with asphalt.

Paving Ninety-sixth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and First street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Second street, from First avenue to the Harlem river, with granite blocks.

Paving One Hundred and Third street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, with asphalt and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Fourth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, with granite blocks, and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Fifth street, between Park and Fifth avenues, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Fourteenth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, with granite blocks.

Paving One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Manhattan street to the Boulevard, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Eighth avenue, with asphalt and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, with asphalt and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between St. Nicholas and Eighth avenues, with asphalt and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from the westerly crosswalk of Third avenue to the westerly crosswalk of Rider avenue, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

Paving One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Third to St. Ann's avenue, with granite blocks.

Paving One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Third to Willis avenue, with trap blocks.

Paving One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Third to Robbins avenue, with granite blocks.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding east side of Boston avenue, from Jefferson to Bristow street, and laying crosswalks at intersection of Prospect avenue and Boston avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding east side of Park avenue, from One Hundred and Fifteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, and south side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Lexington to Park avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding northeast corner of Park avenue and One Hundred and Twentieth street, extending about 50 feet on Park avenue and 100 feet on One Hundred and Twentieth street.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding in front of numbers 805, 807, 809 and 811 First avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding east side of Third avenue, from Ninety-second to Ninety-third street, and on the north side of Ninety-second and south side of Ninety-third streets, extending about 150 feet easterly from Third avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding south side of Fifty-fifth street, from Seventh avenue to Broadway.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding south side of Sixty-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding both sides of Sixty-ninth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding both sides of Seventy-eighth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

Flagging and reflagging both sides of Eighty-sixth street, from Eighth to Riverside avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding both sides of Eighty-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding south side of Ninetieth street, from Park to Madison avenue.

Curbing and flagging south side of Ninety-fifth street, extending westerly from Columbus avenue about 225 feet.

Flagging and reflagging both sides of Ninety-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.

Curbing and receding both sides of Ninety-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding north side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Park and Madison avenues.

Curbing and flagging both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Seventh to St. Nicholas avenue.

Flagging and reflagging, curbing and receding north side of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

Fencing vacant lots on the northeast and northwest corners of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Eighth street.

Fencing the vacant lots on the northwest corner of Eighth avenue (Central Park, West) and Seventy-fourth street.

Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of Sixty-ninth street, commencing about 175 feet east of the Boulevard and extending easterly about 75 feet.

Fencing the vacant lots on the southeast corner of Seventy-second street and Madison avenue.

Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of Seventy-sixth street, between Columbus avenue and Central Park, West.

Fencing vacant lots on the southeast corner of Eighty-eighth street and Columbus avenues, extending about 120 feet on Columbus avenue, and 101 feet on Eighty-eighth street.

Fencing the vacant lots on the south side of Ninety-fifth street, extending a distance of about 200 feet westerly from Columbus avenue.

Fencing the vacant lots on the south side of Ninety-ninth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Fencing the vacant lots on the block bounded by One Hundred and fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, and Madison and Park avenues.

Fencing the vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.

Fencing the vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Park to Madison avenue.

Fencing the vacant lots on the block bounded by One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets, Madison and Park avenues.

Fencing the vacant lots on the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Park and Lenox avenues.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments August 7, 1891, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon on or before October 7, 1891, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL ESTATE OWNERS, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with Stationery and Printing for election purposes will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Tuesday, the 1st day of September, 1891.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Stationery and Printing," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable.

For particulars as to the quantity and kind of Stationery and Printing required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state a price for the work and material furnished in accordance with the specifications. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

No estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The entire quantity of Stationery and Printing is to be put up in boxes and delivered at such times and places and in such quantities in each place as shall be directed by the Chief of the Bureau of Elections.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business, or residence, to the effect that if the contract

be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Samples of Stationery and Printing required may be examined and blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the Chief of the Bureau of Elections, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.
NEW YORK, August 19, 1891.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, August 12, 1891.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a Horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at Public Auction on Friday, August 28, 1891, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirteenth street.

By order of the Board,
WM. H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1891.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 3586, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, and in St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, with a branch in One Hundred and Forty-first street.

List 3588, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Railroad avenue, East, and Courtlandt avenue, with a branch in Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets.

List 3639, Sewer in Eighty-second street, between Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue.

List 3643, No. 4. Sewer in Park avenue, west side, between Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets, with alteration and improvement to present sewer in Ninety-second street, between Park and Madison avenues.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Trinity to St. Ann's avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from St. Ann's to Brook avenue; east side of Brook avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; both sides of St. Ann's avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Forty-second street, and both sides of Crimmins and Beekman avenues, commencing about 350 feet south of One Hundred and Forty-first street northerly to a point distant about 350 feet north of One Hundred and Forty-first street on Crimmins avenue and about 525 feet north of One Hundred and Forty-first street on Beekman avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Railroad avenue, East, to Courtlandt avenue, and both sides of Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first to One Hundred and Fifty-second street.

No. 3. Both sides of Eighty-second street, from Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue.

No. 4. West side of Park avenue, from Ninety-second to Ninety-third street, and both sides of Ninety-second street, beginning at Park avenue and running westerly about 150 feet.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 22d day of September, 1891.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 21, 1891.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to CEDAR AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue, opposite to the junction of Burnside and Sedgwick avenues, to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, in said city, on or before the 8th day of October, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 8th day of October, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 10th day of October, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: (1) by the southern line of Fordham road, easterly (2) by the centre line of the block bounded by Cedar avenue, Cammann street and Fordham road, prolonged to the centre line of a certain unnamed street south of Cammann street; thence easterly along said centre line to the centre line of the block south of said unnamed street and between Cedar avenue and Sedgwick avenue; (3) by this last-mentioned centre line to the southern boundary line of the same block; thence westerly along said southern boundary line to the eastern line of Cedar avenue; (4) by the said eastern line of Cedar avenue to the southern line of the street south of the park, between Cedar avenue and Sedgwick avenue; thence southerly along said southern line to the centre line of the block south of same park; (5) by the last-mentioned centre line to about the central point of said block; thence easterly along a line drawn from this point to the western line of Sedgwick avenue; (6) by the western line of Sedgwick avenue to the southern limit of Cedar avenue; southerly (7) by the said southern limit of Cedar avenue prolonged to the centre line of Riverview Terrace; thence northerly along the said centre line to the easterly prolongation of the centre line of the block between Powell place and a certain unnamed street to the north thereof; (8) by the said prolongation line to the centre line of the block between Cedar avenue and a certain unnamed street or avenue to the west thereof; westerly, by the centre line of the block between Cedar avenue and a certain unnamed street or avenue to the west thereof and by the centre line of the blocks between Cedar avenue and Harlem River Terrace; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, August 27, 1891.

LEWIS J. CONLAN, Chairman,
THOMAS DUNLAP,
LEICESTER HOLME,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 18th day of September, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, extending from the westerly line of Locust avenue to the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL A.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Walnut avenue, distant 203.89 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the eastern line of Walnut avenue;

1st. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Walnut avenue for 60 feet;

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 99° to the left, for 350.0 feet, to the western line of Locust avenue;

3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Locust avenue for 60 feet;

4th. Thence westerly for 350 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Southern Boulevard, distant 231.4 feet southwesterly from the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street with the eastern line of the Southern Boulevard;

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Southern Boulevard for 69.31 feet;

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 120° 02' 30" to the left for 925.20 feet;

3d. Thence easterly, deflecting 8° 22' 53" to the right for 409.55 feet to the western line of Walnut avenue;

4th. Thence northerly, along the western line of Walnut avenue for 60 feet;

5th. Thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the left for 473.94 feet;

6th. Thence westerly for 894.90 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Locust avenue to Southern Boulevard, is designated a street of the first-class and is 60 feet wide.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the office of the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, August 18, 1891.

WM. H. CLARK,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to CAMMANN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Fordham road to the Harlem River Terrace, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 26th day of September, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 26th day of September, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-eighth day of September, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Cammann street and Fordham road and the northwesterly prolongation of the southerly side of Fordham road; easterly by the centre line of the block between Cammann street and Sedgwick avenue to its intersection with the centre line of the block between Cammann street and a certain unnamed street to the south thereof; thence westerly along the last-mentioned centre line to the centre line of Cedar avenue; thence southerly along the centre line of Cedar avenue to the centre line of the block bounded by Cammann street, Cedar avenue and Harlem River Terrace; southerly by the said centre line at the block bounded by Cammann street, Cedar avenue and Harlem River Terrace; westerly by the easterly side of Harlem River Terrace; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues, roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, August 15, 1891.

THOMAS E. GRACE, Chairman,
JOSEPH H. STINER,
THOMAS P. FITZSIMONS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to HARLEM RIVER TERRACE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Cedar avenue to Fordham road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the twenty-sixth day of September, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said twenty-sixth day of September, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the twenty-eighth day of September, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly side of Fordham road; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Harlem River Terrace and Cedar avenue; southerly by the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of Cedar avenue to the centre line of the block between Harlem River Terrace and a certain unnamed street to the west of Harlem River Terrace; westerly by the said centre line of the blocks between Harlem River Terrace and a certain unnamed street to the west of Harlem River Terrace, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and

laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, August 15, 1891.

JOHN D. NEWMAN, Chairman,
CHARLES E. SIMMS, JR.,
SIDNEY HARRIS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to DECATUR AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Brookline street to Moshulu Parkway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the 12th day of September, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 12th day of September, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the 14th day of September, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly line of Moshulu Parkway; easterly by the westerly line of Webster avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between Brookline street and Kingsbridge road, and Marion avenue and Webster avenue; westerly by the easterly line of Marion avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 30th day of September, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 29, 1891.

WILLIAM F. STILLINGS, Chairman,
GILBERT M. SPIER, JR.,
Commissioners.

MATHEW P. RYAN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to FOREST AVENUE, extending from the southerly side of Home street to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street, in said city, on or before the first day of September, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said first day of September, 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the second day of September, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly side of Boston road and the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets; running thence easterly along the centre line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets to the centre line of the blocks between Tinton and Union avenues; thence southerly along said centre line of the blocks between Tinton and Union avenues to the centre line of the blocks between Home and George streets; thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Home and George streets to the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Tinton avenues; thence southerly along the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Tinton avenues to the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Jackson avenues; thence northerly along the centre line of the blocks between Forest and Jackson avenues to the centre line of the block between George and Home streets; thence westerly along the last mentioned centre line to the centre line of Jackson avenue; thence northerly along the centre line of Jackson avenue to the easterly side of Boston road; thence northeasterly along the easterly side of Boston road to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally

opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the fifteenth day of September, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 20, 1891.

JAMES MITCHELL, Chairman,
JOHN H. ROGAN,
LEICESTER HOLME,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WOODRUFF STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Southern Boulevard to centre of Bronx river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 51 Chambers street (Room 4), in said city, on or before the fifteenth day of August, 1891, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said fifteenth day of August 1891, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, at his office, No. 31 Chambers street, in the said city, there to remain until the seventeenth day of August, 1891.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Tremont avenue and Woodruff street prolonged easterly to the centre line of the Bronx river; easterly by the centre line of the Bronx river; southerly by a line parallel to Woodruff street and distant 400 feet therefrom; westerly by the easterly line of the Southern Boulevard, excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares, and places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of August, 1891, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 3, 1891.

JAMES MITCHELL, Chairman,
JOHN A. DEADY,
WILLIAM A. WOODHULL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
COOPER UNION,
NEW YORK, April 3, 1890.

NOTICE.

1. Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
2. Blank applications for positions in the classified service of the city may be procured upon application at the above office.
3. Examinations will be held from time to time as the needs of the several Departments of the City Government may require. When examinations are called, all persons who have filed applications prior to that date will be notified to appear for examination for the position specified.

4. All information in relation to the Municipal Civil Service will be given upon application either in person or by letter. Those asking for information by mail should inclose stamp for reply.
5. The classification by schedule of city employees is as follows:

Schedule A shall include all deputies of officers and commissioners duly authorized to act for their principals, and all persons necessarily occupying a strictly confidential position.

Schedule B shall include clerks, copyists, recorders, bookkeepers and others rendering clerical services, except type-writers and stenographers.

Schedule C shall include Policemen, both in the Police Department and Department of Parks, and the uniformed force in the Fire Department, and Doormen in the Police Department.

Schedule D shall include all persons for whose duty special expert knowledge is required not included in Schedule E.

Schedule E shall include physicians, chemists, nurses, orderlies and attendants in the city hospitals and asylums, surgeons in the Police Department and the Department of Public Parks, and medical officers in the Fire Department.

Schedule F shall include stenographers, type-writers and all persons not included in the foregoing schedules except laborers or day workmen.

Schedule G shall include all persons employed as laborers or day workmen.

Positions falling within Schedules A and G are exempt from Civil Service examination.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer

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